

GEORGIA RAILWAY AND POWER COMPANY IS MERGED  
WITH SOUTHEASTERN LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY

## Mell Gore Is Found Guilty of First-Degree Murder

FIRST DEFENDANT  
GETS DEATH DECREE  
IN CHEEK KILLING

March 12 Fixed for Execution—New Trial Is Sought—Verdict Reached in 35 Minutes.

BARBER MAKES PLEA  
FOR LIFE TO JURY

Forced To Aid Wilson, He Claims—Berry Trial Is Scheduled for Wednesday.

Mell Gore, 22-year-old world war veteran, early Thursday night was found guilty of first-degree murder in connection with the shooting of William H. Cheek, Peachtree road merchant, on December 19.

The verdict, reached by a jury in Fulton superior court after 35 minutes' deliberation, carried the death penalty. Gore was sentenced to be electrocuted on March 12.

When Gore rose to receive sentence, Judge John D. Humphries, in whose division the case was tried, asked him if he had anything to say.

"Your honor," Gore said, "I'll take things as they come, but deep down in my heart I don't believe I should have had this sentence. There is no blood on my hands."

GIVES NOTICE  
OF NEW TRIAL MOTION.

Mrs. J. B. Gore, of Villa Rica, mother of the youth, who sat by his side throughout the trial, was not in court when the jury returned the verdict. Gore asked his attorneys to notify her of the verdict.

Immediately after the sentence, Reuben Garland, chief defense counsel, gave notice of a motion for a new trial, which it is understood, will be filed Saturday by L. S. Maritz, associate defense attorney.

The motion for a rehearing will question the right of the state to inject an alleged confession which was in the form of an affidavit signed by Gore to the effect that he participated with Berry and Wilson in the robbery of the Gordon Street pharmacy store on December 19, the night before Cheek was killed.

It is also reported that a plea of insanity will be made. This will be based on a form of mania said to have been caused by a social disease, which Gore will claim had reached a stage of paresis in his case.

ONE OF BRIEFEST  
TRIALS ON RECORD.

The trial was one of the briefest murder cases ever conducted in Fulton county courts, the state opening late in the morning and the verdict of the jury being read at 6:15 o'clock at night.

Thursday afternoon Gore took the witness stand and pleaded as an excuse his youth and the claim that he was forced at pistol point to participate in the robbery.

Gore was jointly indicted with Theodore M. Berry, Buckhead barber, and Jack Wilson, on the murder charge, and the state severed the cases, trying Gore first. Berry is under arrest, and a nation-wide search for Wilson has been in progress ever since the hold-up and killing.

Assistant Solicitor General Ed A. Stephens, who, with Solicitor General John A. Boykin, prosecuted Gore.

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Morning, Noon  
And Night

It's Eat, Eat, Eat!  
Does the same old place grow monotonous? You'll find colorful new suggestions in the 'WHERE TO DINE' DEPARTMENT on the Classified Pages today.

## Court Scenes in First of Cheek Murder Trials



Above is a pictorial story of the trial Thursday at which Mell Gore, Buckhead barber, received the death sentence following a first degree murder verdict in connection with the killing on December 19 of William H. Cheek in his Peachtree road grocery. At upper left is Judge John D. Humphries, who presided over the court, listening intently to evidence in the case. Upper center, a character study of Gore surrounded by court attaches and spectators. Upper right, Ruby Ray, the girl whose confession resulted in Gore's capture, in a new pose—one indicating sorrow and dejection. Below, a general view of the court room, the two arrows pointing directly downward toward Gore and his mother, who sat by her son's side through out the trial. Photographs by Kenneth Rogers, Constitution staff photographer.

PURCHASING AGENT  
PROBE REFERRED  
TO CITY COUNCIL

Committee Is Told That It Has No Authority to Try W. P. Price; Long Hearing Held.

The next move toward any effort to investigate affairs of the city purchasing department was placed squarely up to city council by the purchasing committee of council Thursday afternoon. This action followed a prolonged and heated session, during which W. P. Price, city purchasing agent, was charged with favoritism in spending funds of his department, while Mr. Price, through his attorney, W. Paul Carpenter, countered by introduction of a number of prominent Atlanta business men, who swore that he was a conscientious city official and had given them business only when their prices were lowest.

City Attorney James L. Mayson, who was present on invitation of Dr. C. J. Vaughan, chairman of the committee, in response to requests by members of the committee gave opinion the purchasing committee was powerless to go into a legal trial of the purchasing agent. He said the purchasing agent was elected by council and that body alone had authority to authorize an official investigation.

Council Has Authority. Presided by Mayor Sims, Councilman John A. White and Chairman C. J. Vaughan, the city attorney declared the purchasing committee would have authority to make a preliminary investigation of any official acts of the purchasing agent and report findings to council.

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CAPITAL IS SEEKING  
TO GRAB SHOALS,  
NORRIS DECLARES

Agricultural Committee Chief Declares Wires Are Being Pulled to Defraud People of U. S.

Washington, January 21.—(AP)—Chairman Norris, of the senate agriculture committee, said today in a statement that it was "gossiped around the capitol that one or two large manufacturing interests are attempting a new grab at Muscle Shoals."

"Now that the proposed Muscle Shoals legislation is again actively being considered by congress, I think it proper that the people of the country should understand exactly what is under consideration."

"It is a matter of common gossip around the capitol that one or two large manufacturing interests are attempting a new grab at Muscle Shoals, and that their friends, in behalf of these manufacturing interests, are supporting the resolution passed by the house which would create a joint committee to deal with proposed offers by the manufacturing companies. In one case, the gossip is so direct as to indicate that the proposed offer of one company is already drawn in the form of a contract and has been around the capitol in advance of the legislation we are asked to pass."

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Comics Again  
On Single Page  
This Morning

Constitution Fans Veto Plan of Scattering Features Through Paper.

This morning The Constitution's happy family of comic characters—including Andy Gump, Uncle Walt and Skeezix, Moon Mullins, Winnie Winkle, Orphan Annie and all the rest of their jovial gang—are back in their old stamping grounds.

You'll find them smiling at you all grouped together on a single page in this issue after four days during which they have been separated and forced to "do their stuff" in solo style on different pages of The Constitution.

The idea of scattering the popular comics was tried out by The Constitution at the suggestion of a number of subscribers who liked the system employed by other papers in big cities. But Atlanta frankly didn't "cotton" to the innovation.

As a result, The Constitution's telephone exchange was overwhelmed with calls and the editor was so besieged by written and verbal wails that he promptly ordered the old system of a full page of comics reinaugurated.

"I didn't like the new plan because 'Big Sister' tore off the front page to read Winnie Winkle on page 2. 'Ma' wasn't pleased when she found 'Little Johnny' had mutilated the woman's section to get 'first shot' at Moon Mullins. 'Son' couldn't find the sports section he'd it off in a corner reading Gasoline Alley—in short, everybody kicked. And so, they're all back in their own backyard this morning, probably rejoicing over the reunion. Of course, you'll lose no time in turning to them."

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PRO-COURT SOLONS  
READY TO INVOKE  
RULE OF CLOTURE

Curtis and Lenroot Deem It Necessary To Break Filibuster, After Voting Agreements Fail.

BY RAYMOND CLAPPER.  
Washington, January 21.—Like two small boys shivering while they summon courage to jump into a creek, the two world court generals in the senate are setting themselves for a cloture fight to break the filibuster on the world court by force.

They probably will make the first move within 48 hours. This course has become necessary by the failure of the court forces and the Borah irreconcilables to make a voluntary voting agreement.

Both Senator Curtis, majority leader, and Senator Lenroot, in charge of the world court resolution, have held back for several days because of the sentimental reluctance of the senate to resort to cloture. But the existence of the irreconcilable filibuster has been demonstrated so glaringly that they feel warranted in using force to break it, now that amicable measures have failed.

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GIFTS TO CHARITY  
IN FINANCE SHEET  
HELD UP BY COURT

Judge G. H. Howard Grants Temporary Order Pending Hearing Before Judge W. D. Ellis

An order temporarily enjoining the city of Atlanta from paying out appropriations to charity and to a number of other civic enterprises of Atlanta as approved by city council, the aldermanic board and Mayor Sims in passage of the January apportionment sheet was signed late Thursday by Judge G. H. Howard, of the Fulton superior court.

The petition names Councilman Tom Morris, of the fifth ward, as the plaintiff and the city of Atlanta as defendant.

Judge Howard, who presides in the criminal division of the court, said he would issue only a temporary order. Alvin Richards, attorney, who, with George Whitman, prepared the injunction petition, told The Constitution over telephone Thursday night he would apply early this morning to Judge Ellis, in the motion division of the Fulton courts, for a restraining order and request that he fix a date for hearing on the petition for permanent injunction.

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Cold Weather  
Is Scheduled  
For Atlanta

Temperature Is Expected To Drop to 20 Degrees by Sunday Morning.

Chilling rains and a drop in temperature to the 20-degree mark are scheduled for Atlanta and this section of Georgia in the next 48 hours, according to the prediction Thursday of C. F. von Herrmann, chief of the local weather bureau.

A cold wave from the northwest, slated to bring rain and snow to states just north of Georgia, is headed toward Atlanta, Mr. von Herrmann said, and spring-like weather of the past few days is scheduled to beat an ignominious retreat before the south-bound blasts.

The Washington weather bureau Thursday night forecasts snow in Virginia and North Carolina, with colder weather in those states, South Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi, Alabama, Kentucky, Tennessee and Florida.

Light rains which started falling in Atlanta Thursday night will be accompanied by a material drop in temperature this morning, Mr. von Herrmann said, the mercury probably going as low as 42, 9 degrees lower than Thursday's lowest temperature of 51. A further drop to 20 degrees is expected by Sunday, he said. Thursday's highest reading was 64 degrees.

ALLEN TO DEMAND  
HARTSFIELD PROVE  
WHISKY CHARGES

Councilman Will Urge That Alderman Prefer Formal Charges Against Four Policemen.

A resolution demanding that Alderman William B. Hartsfield, newly appointed chairman of the police committee, prefer charges against the four unnamed policemen whom he accused on the floor of council Wednesday afternoon of conniving with violators of the prohibition laws by hauling whiskey through the streets of the city will be introduced in council at its next meeting a week from Monday by Councilman Cecil G. Allen, of the second ward, he announced Thursday night.

"It is not fair to cast a cloud over the entire police department," said Councilman Allen. "I know most police officers personally and have the utmost confidence in their honesty and integrity."

## Praises Police Force.

"Most of the officers on the force have wives, daughters and sons. These charges are not only a reflection on the officers themselves but on the families of the department. If there are men in the department who have conspired to break the laws, they should be discharged. The Atlanta police department as a whole is as fine a body of men as I know."

At approximately the same hour Councilman Allen made his announcement, Mrs. J. E. Andrews, prominent civic worker, informed The Constitution that two bodies of women representing civic agencies, at meetings Thursday, had adopted resolutions strongly indorsing Mr. Hartsfield's stand and pledging to support him to the limit in his announced intentions to clean up the police department and curb whisky law violations and disreputable houses.

Mrs. Andrews also declared that inquiry at Mr. Hartsfield's home revealed that a flood of telephone calls congratulating him on his "courageous stand" had been coming there all day.

Hartsfield Commended. Two hundred and fifty women assembled Thursday at the Kirkwood Methodist church, of the south Atlanta Methodist missionary conference, and adopted resolutions praising Mr. Hartsfield in his stand, Mrs. Andrews reported. They agreed to back him to the "limit" in "cleaning the city of corrupt influences," beginning with the police department, it was announced. These resolutions were adopted unanimously and by rising vote.

The executive boards of the South Side Civic league at a called meeting indorsed Mr. Hartsfield's campaign and voted to send copies of the resolutions to him.

Mrs. Andrews, who is president of the league, praised Mr. Hartsfield and urged members of the league to give him full cooperation in fulfillment of his program.

PERSONNEL HERE  
TO BE UNCHANGED  
OFFICIALS STATE

Deal Consummated January 16 Is Ratified by Stockholders of Georgia Railway and Power Co.

PUBLIC TO BENEFIT  
SAYS H. M. ATKINSON

Georgia and Alabama Power Companies Will Continue To Be Operated as Separate Units.

Merger of the Georgia Railway and Power company with the Southeastern Light and Power company was formally announced by officials of the former company Thursday night at the close of a meeting of directors at which ratification of the agreement was voted.

Reports of the deal whereby the Georgia company becomes part of the great Southeastern company, dominating the southeast and controlling the Alabama Power company, have been current for several weeks, but actual consummation of the agreement was not reached until Thursday.

Terms on which the merger finally was completed were the exchange of one share of Georgia Railway and Power company common stock for 1.633 shares of cumulative participating preferred stock and one share of nonpar value common stock of the Southeastern company. The transaction involved the purchase of 250,000 shares of the Georgia company's common stock. The agreement was consummated on January 16.

Georgia Railway and Power company stock is now quoted at 152. Common stock of the Southeastern company is quoted at \$44 a share. Preferred stock of the Southeastern company figuring in the deal is a new issue and its value on the market is unknown. Outstanding preferred stock of the company is quoted at 90, but as the new stock is "junior" to the outstanding stock, its value will be less.

Consolidation of these two great power companies will result in expansion of water power development in this section of the country, which now is making rapid strides industrially, it is stated.

The Georgia Railway and Power company and the Alabama Power company will continue to be operated as separate units, according to the announcement. There will be no change.

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The Weather  
RAIN AND COLDER

Washington—Forecast:  
Georgia: Rain and colder Friday;  
Saturday fair, colder, fresh southwest  
shifting to northwest winds.

Local Weather Report.  
Highest temperature ..... 64  
Lowest temperature ..... 51  
Mean temperature ..... 58  
Normal temperature ..... 43  
Rainfall in past 24 hours, ins. . . . 4.8  
Excess since January 1, ins. . . . 2.22  
Total rainfall since Jan. 1, ins. 6.00

STATION	TEMPERATURE	RAIN
AND STATE OF WEATHER	7 a.m. High	Low
ATLANTA, cloudy	64	50
Augusta, cloudy	62	48
Birmingham, cloudy	62	48
Boston, cloudy	48	48
Buffalo, snow	53	48
Charleston, pt. cldy.	62	50
Chicago, cloudy	52	40
Cincinnati, cloudy	58	40
Cleveland, cloudy	58	40
Des Moines, clear	18	20
Galveston, cloudy	62	60
Hartford, cloudy	62	60
Hayward, clear	6	12
Indianapolis, cloudy	58	40
Kansas City, pt. cldy.	16	20
Memphis, rain	52	40
Mobile, cloudy	72	60
Montgomery, cloudy	70	60
New Orleans, rain	72	60
New York, rain	44	48
North Platte, pt. cldy.	16	20
Oklahoma, cloudy	24	14
Phoenix, clear	28	44
Pittsburgh, snow	60	60
Raleigh, clear	58	40
San Francisco, pt. cldy.	58	40
St. Louis, cloudy	50	28
Salt Lake City, snow	20	12
Savannah, cloudy	64	74
Tampa, pt. cldy.	72	78
Washington, cloudy	58	40
Wichita, rain	42	72
Wilmington, cloudy	42	72

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## STATE ROAD BOND BILL IS DRAFTED

The rough draft of a state bond issue bill, which will be offered for consideration to the state legislature when it meets in extraordinary session on February 24, was drawn up Thursday afternoon at a meeting of the special committee of the Georgia Highway association.

The bill as drawn provides for a \$70,000,000 bond issue, to be retired from the present gasoline tax, without increasing the tax rate. It also provides that the 1 cent of this tax which is now allotted to the different counties shall be undisturbed.

The bill provides for a bond commission of 12 members, one from each congressional district, but does not change the authority of the state highway board, merely providing that the commission must give its approval to

all expenditures of the bond money. There also is a provision that counties which already have spent their own bond money for roads shall be reimbursed according to the amount of road mileage constructed during a given number of years.

Among those present at the meeting were C. C. Thomas, of Athens, president of the association; State Senator Dr. Joe Mathews, of the thirty-eighth district; Senator A. K. Maddox, of the twenty-sixth; Representative Harper Hamilton, of Rome, and A. M. Deal, of Statesboro; John E. Smith, representing the fifth congressional district; M. J. Alney, representing the eighth; and H. E. Estes, representing the ninth.

### CORDELE REAL ESTATE CHANGES OWNERSHIP

Cordele, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—Two whole city blocks in south Cordele have been recently sold for development and the new owners are now planning a number of new residences. A. F. Sherwood was the purchaser of one block and Mrs. W. F. Holt the other. John S. Shepard sold the property.

## CAPTURE \$500,000 LIQUOR SHIPMENT

New York, January 21.—(AP)—Marine police today seized the ocean going tug, Rescue, with a cargo of liquor said to be worth more than a half million dollars after a chase off Sandy Hook in which half dozen shots from a one-pounder were fired.

A coast guard launch first observed the Rescue and fired a shot across her bow. The tug put on speed. A police launch hearing the shots, joined the chase and fired several hundred rounds from machine guns, but the tug was not struck.

Meantime the Rescue extinguished its running lights and boldly entered the harbor and went to a slip at Jefferson street. Before the blue-coats could reach her the Rescue's searchlights had been opened and most of the crew had fled. The four men who remained aboard surrendered. Policemen dove into the water in the hold and closed the sea-cocks.

Coast guard officials said the craft had on board over 25,000 cases of assorted wines and liquors.

Coast guards officers said they received a tip three weeks ago that the tug was bound for New York with a cargo of liquor. They surprised that her arrival here had been delayed by the heavy fog that enveloped the coast earlier in the week. The full crew of the tug was said to have been 20.

Some estimates place the value of the contraband as high as \$1,000,000 at bootleg prices.

The capture, it was later learned, was due to an anonymous tip said to have been telephoned to United States Attorney Buckner last night. The informant told Mr. Buckner that the Rescue was about to attempt a landing of a large cargo of liquor between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning.

## Pretty Girls Engaged in Sales Contest For Benefit of Junior Order Hospital



Photograph by Kenneth Rogers, Staff Photographer.

Five young Atlanta women who are selling tickets to the Junior Order circus to be held at the city auditorium during the first week of February. A diamond ring will be the prize of the one who sells the greatest number of tickets. From left to right, front row, Misses Louise Russell, Lorena Cloud and Gladys Robinson. Back row, Misses Martha M. Smith and Edna Carver. The Junior Order hospital is the first institution of its kind in the United States to be opened by this fraternity of national scope. Thousands of members in Atlanta are supporting the project. Proceeds of the circus will go to the hospital.

Announcement of contestants in the sale of tickets for the Junior O. U. A. M. circus, to be given during the first week in February at the city auditorium, was made Thursday by officials in charge. The circus will be held for the benefit of the junior order hospital, and much interest is being shown by contestants. A diamond ring has been offered for the

contestant selling the largest number of tickets.

The following have entered the contest: Mrs. J. E. Humphries, 172 Curran street; Miss Martha Smith, Western Union office, Healey building; Miss Edna Carver, 313 Healey building; Mrs. Mary E. Jones, 24 Melrose drive; Miss Louise Russell, Miss Gladys Robinson and Miss Lorena

Cloud, all of J. M. High company; Miss Marie Echols, 170 McMillan street; Mrs. Ida F. McCall, 225 Bankhead avenue; Mrs. R. L. Beddingfield, 741 Peachtree street; Mrs. Nettie E. Taylor, 96 Kelley street; Miss Annie Pardee, 24 Hurt building; Mrs. H. E. Reynolds, 516 Courtland street; Mrs. H. C. Wallace, 1462 DeKalb, and Marion P. Carroll, 322 South Boulevard.

## Two-Gun Sheik Boasts State Will Be Unable To Hang Him

BY EARL J. JOHNSON.

Chicago, January 21.—Made giddy by the hysterical reception that marked his return to Chicago, Martin J. Durkin, the two-gun sheik whose criminal exploits have given him the glamor of a dime-novel hero, was put back in his "hot proof" cell Thursday night, apparently oblivious to the fact that his day of boasting had brought him a pace nearer the noose.

Durkin laughed at those who quizzed him just as he laughed at police and federal authorities during the long game of tag with the law that ended Wednesday in St. Louis. He did not seem to realize that a half dozen stenographers in the employ of State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe were working furiously to turn his boasting against him.

"You guys haven't got anything on me. This is going to be a cinch," he told the dozens of prosecutors, assistant prosecutors, detectives and federal agents, who moved him from office to office, playing skillfully on his weakness for notoriety.

The city that had demanded his life in a nationwide search for him greeted Durkin like a popular hero. Crowds swarmed after the automobiles that took him from place to place. It was a great day for "Marty." He played for the approval of the flappers and the department store clerks and they gave him cheers and the "ahs" that he wanted.

Once he was allowed to talk to newspaper men, although he had been addressing the crowd during his interviews with officials.

He told reporters that he was en route to Chicago to give himself up when he and his bride were captured at St. Louis.

"I was getting tired of being accused of murders from one end of the country to another," he said, "I thought I'd come back and avoid any more trouble."

"Those cops sure give me a laugh. Even those dudes in St. Louis were just plain lucky that I didn't have my guns ready. Nobody who can't out-guess a cop is nothing but a bum."

There was one dramatic moment during the day, however, when the handsome young killer almost lost control of himself. That was when he met Betty Werner, the Chicago sweetheart whom he deserted for a 18-year-old Irma Sullivan, his bride. Tears and smiles were mingled as Irma, Betty and Martin came face to face for the first time in the courtroom of the police lockup.

Both Betty and Irma were in tears. The contrast in their personalities was striking. Betty, the dashing flapper, with her long, wavy hair, shielded for 18 years in a small Illinois village.

Puss Arms Around Neck.

"You could find me," Betty whispered with sobs, "so you took the next best one you could find." She put her head on Marty's shoulder and one of the newspapers every day. The killer's leg irons and bracelets were embarrassing enough, but being kissed in public by an old sweetheart in sight of his bride almost unnerved the crafty Durkin.

Irma's childish face grew taut. She stiffened in her seat.

"I'm nothing to you now," Betty continued bitterly. "You've got a wife now, Marty. Take good care of her."

Advertised for Betty.

"I would have come to you," Durkin said. "I put advertisements in the newspapers, asking you to join me in Michigan, but you didn't come. I watched the Chicago papers every day. Betty's reply could not be heard, but Marty answered with one of those spasmodic outbursts of laughter. At the sound of this nervous chuckle, Betty flung him from her.

"Don't stand there and laugh," she snapped. The long awaited crisis with Betty, had come. "Get back to your wife," she said. "Don't make a chump out of her as you have of me. The world is laughing at me now." Durkin paled and looked ashamed. He seemed unprepared for this from the woman who risked her life for him and gave up everything else for him.

Kisses His Young Wife.

"I would like to talk to you," he said. "But millions are against me now. They've taken my gun and my bullets."

Durkin then hobbled over to his bride and kissed her.

"Don't cry," he said. "Everything will come out all right. I'll make a State's Attorney out of this from now on."

Betty turned her back on him and walked away. Outside she told reporters she would help Durkin in any way she could.

State's Attorney Crowe is determined to rush Durkin to trial for

## Artificial Fog USED TO PROTECT CROPS IN NORWAY

New York, January 21.—(AP)—The artificial fog invented by a Scandinavian scientist, Professor A. V. Jernberg, for military purposes, is being put to peace time use in Norway to protect crops from frost.

## CAPITAL SEEKING TO GRAB SHOALS

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structure of storage and additional power plans on the Tennessee river above, it is certain, within a short time, the primary power at Muscle Shoals will exceed 300,000 H. P. which, if used throughout the south, will tremendously help to build up the wealth and add to the comfort of the people of that section of the United States. Already appropriations are pending for licenses to construct power plants on the Tennessee river above Muscle Shoals that will more than double the primary output, and, within ten years, other power plants with 300,000 H. P. without further expense to the Muscle Shoals project, whether they are built by the government or private parties.

## PURCHASING AGENT PROBE UP TO COUNCIL

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charges to council and allow that body to take whatever action it saw fit. A motion by Dr. J. W. Turner, councilman from the second, that Mr. Price be given a vote of confidence, failed to receive a second.

Councilman White, (Councilman Vaughan, Council J. T. Osburn and Alderman J. L. McLendon joined in insisting that the charges be submitted to council, although J. P. Attorney Mayson, again called on for a ruling, held it was within the power of the committee to refer the matter to council or to order the charges dismissed.

J. J. Barnes, city inspector of weights and measures, explaining that he appeared in the role of a private citizen, preferred supplementary charges against Mr. Price. He charged that in 73 specific instances the city purchasing agent during 1925 had given orders to firms for purchases of merchandise for various city departments, each order calling for an expenditure of more than \$100, without asking for competitive bids. This, he contended, was in violation of the law, which requires that competitive bids must be asked of all concerns interested in the purchase of goods for any order in excess of \$100.

Denies "Whitewash" Effort.

Chairman Vaughan, in calling the committee to order, made vigorous denial of charges he had endeavored to whitewash the situation, as charged by J. J. Barnes.

He first read to the committee a communication from Mayor Sims, who stated a number of tire dealers had made complaint they had been charged to the privilege of competing for city business and that "75 per cent or 80 per cent of the city's tire business" was given to a concern which is said to employ a son of the purchasing agent.

The mayor demanded a thorough investigation.

Councilman White, on the strength of the ruling by the city attorney, sought to have the matter referred to general council without any preliminary investigation by the purchasing agent. Attorney Carpenter, however, insisted on a hearing, saying his client was willing at that time to meet the charges. "We want to prove our innocence and it is only fair to Mr. Price that this committee proceed," he said.

Sims Insists on Charges.

Mayor Sims said he would insist on an opportunity for tire concern representatives having opportunity to appear before the committee and that if there was anything to be heard, the committee should make its recommendations to council. Mr. Price himself took the floor to say that in justice to himself he believed the committee should hear the charges at once.

C. C. Brown, representing a tire company, said he had been a constant solicitor of the city's tire business for five years and that he had received but one order. He charged that "75 per cent of the city's business" was going to the concern which employed Mr. Price's son as salesman.

P. L. Carroll said that his company had been invited to offer a bid on city business only once in the last

two years. T. L. Swords said his company had never been given opportunity to bid during the last two years.

Representatives of an Akron company made charges they had been refused the privilege of submitting bids on tire business.

Charges of Barnes.

In his supplementary charges Mr. Barnes cited "73 specific instances where the purchasing department bought merchandise in excess of \$100 and did not obtain competitive bids." He also cited "three more instances where the department bought in excess of \$500 from a tire company without knowledge or sanction of the purchasing committee and one alleged instance where the department bought coal amounting to \$834.50 without obtaining bids or without submitting the matter to the purchasing committee."

In this connection he also pointed out the law which required action by the council purchasing committee on all orders for merchandise in excess of \$500.

"The writer further charges," the communication stated, "that notwithstanding the fact there are several lumber concerns operating in Atlanta, that one lumber company has enjoyed more than 60 per cent of all the city's requirements in instances without competitive bids."

Johnston Testifies.

Steve R. Johnston, superintendent of Grady hospital, said that a coal hauling contract would have cost Grady hospital appropriation \$1,000 a year.

"The contract for hauling coal to Grady used to call for 60 cents a ton. Later it was made 75 cents."

Purchasing Agent Price explained this by declaring he had been confronted with an emergency situation early this year by the removal from the city of the man who had the contract.

"The contract for hauling coal to Grady used to be 60 cents and for hauling coal to Battle Hill, a further distance, 90 cents a ton. The new contractor desired to make a flat rate of 75 cents per ton for the two institutions. I believe that in the course of a year, the new contract price and the old contract price would be about equalized," Mr. Price said.

Other tire representatives who claimed they had been discriminated against in the matter of opportunity to bid on city business included J. P. L. Carroll, Frank Robinson, D. B. Donaldson and William M. Todd.

Barnes Is Quizzed.

Attorney Carpenter quizzed Mr. Barnes as to the motives that prompted

ed his interest in this investigation. He asked him directly if he was interested in the Yancey Transfer company, which now has the city coal hauling contract and Barnes replied he was not. Barnes said a man by the name of Jackson operated the business.

Among the Atlantans who testified that their long association with Mr. Price had convinced them of his "honesty and integrity" were W. A. Parker, J. R. Almon, W. A. Horne, Ivan Allen, H. L. Singer and Sam Freeman.

Grover Melner, president of a coal company, when asked by Attorney Carpenter if he had any knowledge of any connection by Mr. Barnes with a certain transfer company, said he had not.

Price Defends Position.

"I have done my best to save money for the city," said Mr. Price upon taking the stand. "I feel that any grievances submitted are from disgruntled persons who have failed to receive as much city business as they thought they should have. This tire business has been a bone of contention. I have a hard post a bill. I am honest in what I have done. I have endeavored to look after the city's best interests."

Questioned by Mr. Barnes, the city purchasing agent said he had never followed any policy adverse to buying supplies from firms, which employed representatives of the city government.

In reply to direct questioning, the purchasing agent admitted he had bought beet pulp for the concern of which J. R. Bachman, former alderman, was connected at the time Mr. Bachman was in office; that he had bought ice cream from the concern represented by Councilman C. G. Allen. Asked if he had given the city patronage to the laundry represented by Councilman D. Knight, the purchasing agent was prevented from answering by objection interposed by Attorney Carpenter and sustained by the chairman.

"Mr. Knight is not on trial, nor are any of these men mentioned," said the attorney.

"No, but you are trying to put me on trial," said Mr. Barnes, "and I am perfectly willing to waive any further questioning in view of the committee's decision."

Councilman White, as a former chairman of the purchasing committee, vouched for the honesty of Mr. Price. Attorney Carpenter urged the committee to vote for a dismissal of any charges and to give Mr. Price a vote of confidence. The motion to refer the charges to general council, however, prevailed.

—You just can't resist a pair in these new

**Paris Shades**

\$1.00 to \$3.00

**Stewart**

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About the fortieth year every person should consult a reputable optician for an examination of the eyes.

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A.K. HAWKES COMPANY

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**TWO SPECIAL BARGAINS IN Used Pianos**

Guaranteed in every way by us

**FISCHER UPRIGHT** ..... \$100

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On very easy terms if you wish.

**Edico Piano Co**

AMPCO & EDISON SONS

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**ARCOLA**

Hot Water Radiator Heat

When you decide on an Ideal ARCOLA for heating your home, bungalow, office or store, you make a double saving.

Due to larger volume of sales its first cost is lower than any other dependable system of heating and it soon saves its cost in the less fuel burned. Thereafter it is a big-paying investment.

Ask dealer about low new price and easy payment plan. ARCOLA is guaranteed to deliver steady, healthful cozy heat to all rooms and on account of automatic control requires little attention. Write Dept. S for free book.

**AMERICAN RADIATOR COMPANY** 232 Peachtree St. Atlanta, Ga.

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LARGE SIZE — THIN SKIN

LUSCIOUS and JUICY

**GRAPEFRUIT**

8C EACH OR

**3 FOR 20c**

There's a ROGERS Store near you

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Where Satisfaction is a Certainty



## Winter in Europe's New Tropical Playground

North Africa... Only 9 Days from New York

IT is the land of the Moslem... unchanged for centuries... sweeping the traveler back to ancient times, and rest, and comfort! For the French Line has established a luxurious motor service and 31 famous Transatlantic hotels along thousands of miles of macadam highway. And the emerald oases of the desert are penetrated in a twin-six wheeled Renault car that rides the dunes like an ocean liner.

Season from September to May

Thirteen day trip in this Mohammedan Paradise, including the delightful trip across the Mediterranean, luxurious hotel and excellent motor bus accommodations as well as the necessary gratuities for... \$120

De Luxe trip of fifty-seven days with all expenses, including the trip across the Mediterranean and that of a private car, for... \$1450

Imagination cannot picture the Oriental subtlety and exotic color of this country that lies at the other end of the longest gangplank in the world. One must see it! Take a de luxe French Liner, the Paris or France, that goes to Plymouth, England... then Havre, the port of Paris. Or a One-Class Cabin Liner, the De Grasse, Rochambeau, La Savoie or Suffren, that goes direct to Havre.

It's the ideal way. Perfect accommodations, cuisine, and companionship for the days at sea. No transferring to tenders at Havre. Just down the gangplank to a special boat train waiting. Paris in three hours; the Riviera overnight; and North Africa just a day across the Mediterranean.

Information from any French Line Agent or recognized Tourist Office

**French Line**

603 Healey Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

WRITE FOR BOOKLET "ACROSS NORTH AFRICA" BY ROSITA FORBES

**FOR SALE**

Flat newspaper paper suitable for small publishers and job printers. The price is right

**P. O. Box 1731, Atlanta, Ga.**

## BUILDING PROGRAM LARGE AT CORDELE

Cordele, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—Cordele broke all building records of the past 10 years in the 1925 construction program. The Cordelia hotel was the largest single item, but with it came various other very promising strides in both residence and business property. More than \$250,000 of the money invested in the 1925 building program was money which came here from Florida—Georgians who returned here to invest.

Use it on Veal Pot Pie

**LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE**

**Clark's Famous Cruises**

By Condor Line, new oil-burners.

**AROUND THE WORLD**

Personal management of F. C. Clark

**4 Months \$1150 to \$3000**

Including Hotels, Driven, Guides, Fees, etc.

From Los Angeles, February 5, by specially chartered Cunarder "Laonia," 20,000 tons, including Havana, Panama Canal, Los Angeles, Hilo, Honolulu, 26 days in Japan and China (Peking included), Manila, Java, Singapore, Burma, option 17 days in India; Cairo, Jerusalem, Athens, Naples, Riviera, with Europe stop over in springtime.

**Jan. 30, Mediterranean Cruise** 62 days, \$800 to \$1700.

**June 30, Norway—Mediterranean** 63 days, \$550 to \$1250.

John T. North, 68 N. Broad, Atlanta, Ga. F. C. Clark, Times Bldg., New York.



## Masked Players' Coupons

IMPORTANCE OF SLOGANS IS STRESSED

### Will Appear Next Monday

First coupons in The Constitution Masked Players contest to be conducted for six weeks at Loew's Grand theater will be run in the paper next Monday, the day the first group of masked players are shown on the screen, and thereafter each week for four weeks. The first film will be shown at Loew's Grand Monday and will be shown the remainder of the week at each of the three daily performances.

The coupon in The Constitution will contain a space for the name of the masked player and underneath will be space for the slogan which must accompany each guess. The contest rules call for slogans with each player and the slogans will be used by the judges in awarding the \$500 in prizes.

The Constitution will run the coupons for four weeks, the fifth week will be devoted to the work of selecting names of the 200 winners, and during the sixth week the four special films showing the masked players will

be run again and the masks will slowly fade out of each picture, revealing the identity of the various stars in the contest.

From the viewpoint of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, with whom all of the players have signed long-term contracts, the slogan side of the Masked Players Contest is by far the most important angle.

The executives believe there is every possibility that a slogan genius may be discovered among the playgoers—perhaps a world's future greatest ad writer.

You all know Mary Pickford as "America's Sweetheart." You all know that is Mary's slogan name.

What Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer wants are slogans just as befitting for Lon Chaney, Marion Davies, Norma Shearer, Ramon Novarro, Jack Gilbert, Aileen Pringle, Claire Windsor and a score of other MGM stars—in fact, almost more stars than there are in the heavens.

You do not have to have a college

education to write a slogan. You need no literary bent. You need no careful study for preparation.

A slogan is just a snappy phrase of three or four words put together that will say what you believe to best describe the star whom you are christening with your thought.

At times Lon Chaney has been referred to as "The Man of a Thousand Faces." After little thought you may be able to write a much better slogan than that.

**Carmel's Slogan.** You have probably heard Carmel Myers called "The Siren of the Silver Sheet." And there is every possibility that the Masked Players Contest may reveal scores of better slogans for Carmel Myers.

Every day in The Constitution there will appear the Official Coupon of the Masked Players Contest. All you do is clip this coupon—take it with you to Loew's Grand to witness the revealing of the novelty reel of the Masked Players and fill in the names of those players whom you believe appeared before you on the screen.

On the same coupon on the line below the name of each player write a slogan, which you believe to be most befitting. There will be many suggestions, tips and hints as to how the slogan should be written. Productions in which each of them have appeared will be listed in these columns from time to time and in sev-

eral cases even the roles which the stars portrayed will be vividly described.

In some cases even the initials of the players will be given. In fact, it is so easy to win that you can win the contest by writing a slogan in these columns daily. Watch for them!

## RADIO COMPANY

### PIRATING ON AIR, JUDGE CHARGES

(By Leased Wire to The Constitution and The Chicago Tribune.)

Chicago, January 21.—Federal Judge Wilkerson today ordered the filing of a bill of criminal information naming the Zenith Radio Corporation as the offender in the alleged "pirating" of a broadcasting length allotted to a Canadian station.

Assistant United States District Attorney John J. Byrne appeared before the court to present the case against the concern, which operates WJAZ radio broadcasting station in the Straus building.

The Zenith station, which had been allotted part time on a wave band previously assigned a Denver station, is charged with disregarding instructions from Secretary Hoover and has "bootlegged" the air rights of other stations. The information charges illegal broadcasting on December 19 from Mount Prospect to Seattle; January 2, to Detroit; January 7, to Peper, Wis., and January 7 to Detroit, making a total of four counts, with a maximum penalty of \$2,000 and liability to seizure of its equipment and license.

## MESSANGER SHOT, 2 GUNMEN ESCAPE WITH \$6,300 LOOT

Hackensack, N. J., January 21.—(AP)—An American Railway Express company messenger was mortally wounded today by two young gunmen, who looted the express office of \$6,300 and escaped.

The express company office is in the heart of the city. A traffic policeman was on duty nearby and there were many witnesses of the affair.

The messenger, Frank Brandon, had brought the money from the People's Trust and Guaranty company, and from the office of the New York Telephone company for shipment.

Two men followed him into the express office and shot him down as he stepped toward the cashier's cage.

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## ATLANTA MAN TESTIFIES IN SUIT ON KLAN NAME

Indianapolis, Ind., January 21.—(AP) A legal battle over the right of any other organization than the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America to use the word "klan" in its corporation name began in United States district court here today.

Contending that the word "klan" is its own, the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America corporation is suing the Independent Klan of America for \$500,000 damages for using it.

S. H. Bemenderfer, of Muncie, president of the Independent Klan of America, declared his organization was formed by persons dissatisfied with conditions existing in the older body. They left "because of the character of the membership and after it had been found that the organization

had been commercialized," he asserted. The membership of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America in Indiana he termed as "disreputable and not fit persons to associate with."

J. E. McQuinn, Atlanta, Ga., national cashier of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America, testified that his organization was operating in every state. He said it first started functioning in Indiana in 1921, and that the membership at the present time was about 50,000 active members, with a "fluctuating membership" of about 200,000. There are 5,000,000 members in the United States, he said.

## STATESBORO STORES CHANGE OWNERSHIP

Statesboro, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—During the past week two important changes in the mercantile world of this city have been made. G. W. Ennis sold his grocery to S. W. Robinson of this city. Sam Moore sold his store to J. C. Lane, who has been running a similar store in

Florida. In fact, the deal was an exchange between Mr. Moore and Mr. Lane.

Mr. Moore will go to Lakeland

where he will take charge of Mr. Lane's store, while Mr. Lane will remain in Statesboro and have charge of Mr. Moore's business.

## Better Than Whiskey For Colds and Flu

The sensation of the drug trade is Aspirin, the two-minute cold and cough reliever, authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories; tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as ten times as quick and effective as whiskey, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tried.

All drug stores are supplied with the wonderful elixir, so all you have to do is to step into the nearest drug store, hand the clerk half a dollar for a bottle of Aspirin and tell him to serve you two teaspoonsful. With your watch in your hand, take the

money back in two minutes if you cannot feel the distressing symptoms of your cold fading away like a dream, within the time limit. Don't be bashful, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

Take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children, for Aspirin is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quick relief for catarrhal group and children's choking up at night—(adv.)

## Beginning Today—Store-Wide Reductions for Swift's Super-Sacrifice Sale

**TERMS**  
Arranged to Suit Your Convenience. Very Liberal Terms for Cash.

The reasons for this event are: First, we must relieve our present congested condition; second, to prove to all Atlanta that truly quality furniture predominates here, and to enable new customers to know of our easier credit terms. Furniture from the leading markets has been reduced from 10 to 50 per cent for this event. Words are inadequate to describe this great sale. You are the one to be convinced and you owe it to yourself to investigate these values. Come Friday. Plenty of salesmen.

**10% to 50% OFF**

Every Piece of Furniture in the Store Included at Sale Prices!

### SPECIALS

**End Tables**  
Regular \$6.00 value, while they last..... \$2.75

**Electric Irons**  
Regular \$3.00 value, extra special at..... \$2.95

**Rag Rugs**  
Regular \$1.50 value, 54-in. Rug, special at..... 75c

**Vanity**  
Regular \$57.00 Huguenot Walnut Vanity, now priced at..... \$45.60

**Dresser**  
Regular \$36.00 Huguenot Walnut Dresser, now..... \$28.80

**Console Tables**  
Regular \$12.00 Table reduced to..... \$7.95

**Simmons Mattresses**  
Regular \$14.00 value, 50-pound felt plated mattress, reduced now to..... \$8.95

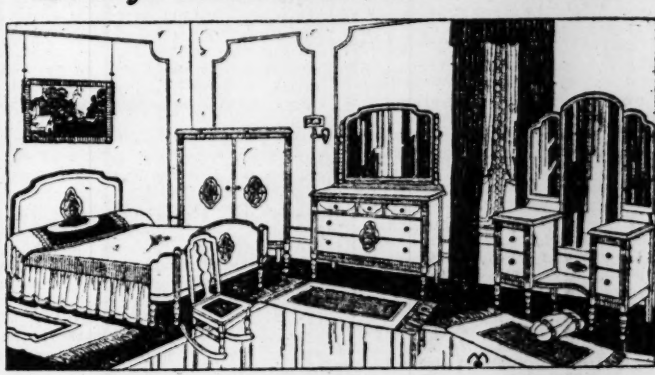
**Springs**  
The wonderful Whitstone Springs, a real value at..... \$4.95

**Axminster Rugs**  
Regular \$7.00 value, size 27x54 inches, extra special at..... \$3.95

**Table Lamp**  
Regular \$10.50 value, vase base with beautiful silk shade, reduced to..... \$10.95

**Console Mirrors**  
Regular \$7.50 value, polychrome finish frame, size 16x24, special now at..... \$4.95

### Every Bedroom Suite Reduced



**\$175.00 3-Piece Suite**..... \$131.25  
In American Walnut, consisting of vanity, bow-end bed and chiffonier.

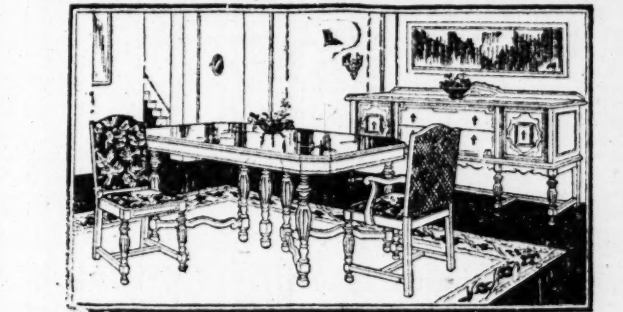
**\$150.00 3-Piece Suite**..... \$127.50  
In French Walnut, consisting of large vanity, chiffonier and bow-foot bed.

**\$285.00 Grand Rapids Suite**..... \$171.00  
Five pieces, consisting of vanity, bow-end bed, chiffonier, bench and chair, in American Walnut.

**\$272.00 6-Piece Suite**..... \$181.35  
In American Walnut, consisting of vanity, bow-foot bed, chiffonier, chair, bench and rocker.

**\$245.00 3-Piece Grand Rapids Suite**..... \$183.75  
In Burl Walnut, consisting of large chiffonier, vanity and bow-foot bed. A truly wonderful suite.

### Every Dining Room Suite Reduced



**\$195.00 10-Piece Suite**..... \$149.50  
In two-tone American Walnut, consisting of table, buffet, china cabinet, server, five side chairs and one arm chair.

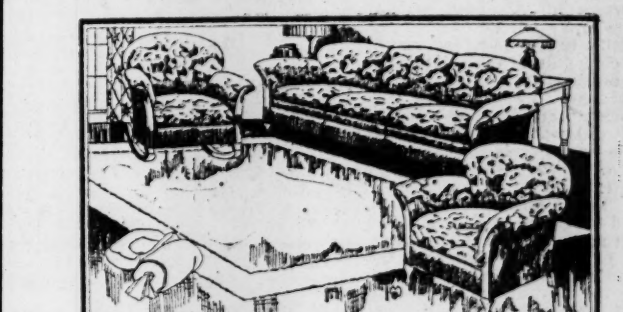
**\$225.00 10-Piece Suite**..... \$169.00  
In two-tone American Walnut, consisting of table, buffet, china cabinet, server, five side chairs and one arm chair.

**\$298.00 10-Piece Suite**..... \$238.75  
In Huguenot Walnut, consisting of table, buffet, china cabinet, server, five side chairs and one arm chair.

**\$375.00 10-Piece Suite**..... \$318.75  
In Huguenot Walnut, consisting of table, buffet, china cabinet, server, five side chairs and one arm chair.

**\$400.00 10-Piece Suite**..... \$319.00  
In Huguenot Walnut, consisting of table, buffet, china cabinet, server, five side chairs and one arm chair.

### Every Living Room Suite Reduced



**\$235.00 Overstuffed Suite**..... \$198.00  
Three pieces, Jacquard Velour, with reversible cushions; a splendid suite at the low price of \$198.00.

**\$217.00 Overstuffed Suite**..... \$189.50  
Three pieces in Jacquard Velour, taupe and rose color, with tapestry reversible cushions.

**\$270.00 Overstuffed Suite**..... \$189.50  
Three pieces in Tan Mohair, consisting of large davenport, club chair and wing back chair.

**\$275.00 Overstuffed Suite**..... \$219.50  
Three-piece Mohair suite with reversible cushions; piped with black moss; see this value Friday.

**\$350.00 Overstuffed Suite**..... \$275.00  
Three pieces in high-grade Mohair with reversible cushions in damask. Don't miss this one today.

### Kitchen Cabinets



Our entire stock of Kitchen Cabinets are included in this big Super-Sacrifice Sale. Think of it! Now you can get a big \$50.00 Cabinet, with all the modern conveniences for the low price of..... \$39.50

### Breakfast Room Suites

**Now Reduced**  
\$27.00—Five-piece enameled decorated breakfast Room Suite, consisting of table and four chairs. A real special at..... \$18.95  
\$35.00—Five-piece suite, consisting of gate-leg table and four chairs, enameled decorated, now priced..... \$27.50

### Cane-Back Living Room Suites Reduced

**\$135.00**—Three-piece cane-back Living Room Suite, upholstered in a high-grade velour, and reduced for this sale to..... \$98.50  
**\$350.00**—Three-piece, cane-back suite, solid mahogany frame, upholstered best grade of velour and priced for this sale at..... \$195.00

### Heating Stoves Now Reduced 20%

Here, right in the midst of the season, comes this announcement of 20% off on our entire stock of heating stoves. A large assortment of sizes to select from. Buy now while you can save money.

**SWIFT FURNITURE CO.**  
129-131 WHITEHALL ST. Phone WALnut 8766

James G. Hale & Co., 30 Peachtree CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

A Few More Days of Our

## January Clearance Sale Suits and Overcoats

Suits and Overcoats of the famous Collegian make—embracing all the new styles, fabrics and popular color effects. Many of the suits have two pairs of pants. These are bona fide Values that really mean money saved to the customer—Come!

### Collegian Suits and Overcoats

\$25.00 Suits, now	\$19.65	\$40.00 Suits, now	\$31.65
\$30.00 Suits, now	\$23.65	\$45.00 Suits, now	\$33.65
\$35.00 Suits, now	\$26.65	\$50.00 Suits, now	\$36.65
\$60.00 Suits, now	\$41.65		

### Furnishings Reduced—Buy Now!

\$2.50 French Flannel Shirts	\$1.85	\$12.00 Sweaters	\$8.65
\$3.50 Wilson Bros. Silk and Wool Underwear	\$2.85	\$10.00 Sweaters	\$7.65
\$2.50 Shirts reduced to	\$1.85	\$8.50 Bradley Sweaters	\$5.65
		\$5.00 Bradley Sweaters	\$3.85

## JAS. G. HALE & CO.

(Mr. Hale Was Formerly With Blackstock, Hale & Morgan Co.)  
30 Peachtree St. At Five Points

## at CABLE'S

### A New Columbia Brunswick or Victrola

**THE NEW COLUMBIA UPRIGHT MODEL 430**  
Is a superior instrument. Its tone will please the most critical—its mechanical features will stand the closest scrutiny—its cabinets are beautifully designed to harmonize with other fine pieces of furniture in the home. Let us show you this exquisite instrument. It is a type of phonograph that will be a welcome addition to any home.

Prices \$75.00 Up SMALL CASH PAYMENT DOWN

**Brunswick Upright**  
Plays all makes of records, has wonderful qualities, handsomely finished. Many new designs to choose from.  
**\$100.00**

**Victor Upright**  
This hand-somely finished Victrola in any home stamps the family as one of culture and refinement—as lovers of music. All styles and finishes are here.

Make Your Selection Now, While Stocks Are Complete

A Selection of Records Included With Each Instrument  
**CABLE Piano Company**  
84 N. Broad Street—Phone WALnut 1041  
A Selection of Records Included With Each Instrument

### HUGHES IS CHOSEN LAWYER OF OIL MEN

Los Angeles, Cal. January 21.—(AP) Election of a Standard Oil subsidiary company executive as president and selection of Tulsa, Okla. for the 1927 convention marked the final session today of the annual gathering of the American Petroleum Institute. W. S. French, president of the Humble Oil company, of Houston, Texas, was named to lead the institute for the new year, succeeding J. E. Pew, of the Sun Oil company, of Dallas.

### CORDELE TOT RECOVERS FROM AUTO ACCIDENT

Cordele, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—Leonard, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis, is recovering at a local hospital from a crushed skull sustained when he was run down on north Seventh street by an automobile. He has attempted to cross the street just at dusk.

An operation apparently has saved his life.

### Holeproof Hosiery.

Sheer! Lustrous!

### PARIS SHADES

\$1.00 to \$3.00

Hosiery shades for new shoe shades.

**Stewart**  
25 Whitehall St.



## Power Company Merger To Assist in Developing Water Sheds in 2 States

President of Southeastern Power and Light Company Describes Benefits of Plan.

Birmingham, Ala., January 21.—

(By the Associated Press.)—Merger

of the Southeastern Power and Light

company and the Georgia Railway

and Power company will result, officials

of the purchasing company announced

here today, in bringing to-

gether vast water and steam power

resources for Georgia and Alabama.

An interconnected system already

existing between the Georgia com-

pany and the Alabama Power com-

pany, an auxiliary of the Southeast-

ern Power and Light company, con-

nects them with the Carolinas and

other states.

The transaction involved the pur-

chase of 250,000 shares of the Georgia

company, of which the Southeastern

company will pay one share of its common

stock and 1,633 shares of its new par-

ticipating preferred stock.

The purchase will make possible,

it was stated, coordinated operation

of the combined system, bringing to

the two states maximum utilization

of power facilities and will practi-

cally insure against a recurrence of a

power famine such as existed last

year and which has never been fully

relieved.

The extensive construction pro-

grams of the Southeastern, Georgia

company and Alabama Power com-

pany will not be hindered by the

transaction, it was said. On the

other hand, developments in both

states will be pushed with all speed

looking toward proper conservation

and distribution.

The Georgia company and the Ala-

bama Power company will continue

with their own organizations and man-

agement under local state laws. They

will maintain their own financial

structures and will remain subject to

public authority as to rates, character

of service, and security issues within

the states of Georgia and Alabama.

**Martin Makes Statement on Merger.**

Thomas W. Martin, president of the

Southeastern Power and Light

company, in a formal announcement

of the transaction said:

"The Southeastern Power and Light

company has made an offer to the

common shareholders of the Georgia

Railway and Power company to take

over all of their interests on certain

terms. The offer involves the purchase

by Southeastern Power and Light

company of the 250,000 shares of Georgia

company common stock, for which

the Southeastern company will pay one

share of its common stock and 1,633

shares of its new participating preferred

stock of the Southeastern company.

The preferred stock is junior to the

present preferred and will pay div-

idends of \$4 per share for three years,

\$5 for the succeeding three years and

\$6 for the following year, and an ad-

ditional \$1 under certain conditions

depending upon dividends paid upon

common stock of the Southeastern

Power and Light company. Individual

stockholders owning substantially more

than a majority of the outstanding

common stock of the Georgia Railway

and Power company have agreed to

accept the offer.

**Systems Are Inter-Connected.**

"The transmission systems of the

Georgia Railway and Power company

and the Alabama Power company, a

subsidiary of Southeastern Power and

Light company, have been intercon-

connected for several years. This inter-

connection has made possible the in-

terchange of surplus power from one

section to the other, in order to re-

lieve power shortage and interruptions

due to breakdowns and other causes

and, in emergencies, has rendered im-

portant service for extended periods

to industries and other users of power

and electricity in the territory served

by both companies, especially the

Georgia company.

"This arrangement will make pos-

sible cooperative development and op-

eration of water-power resources in

the various watersheds in Alabama

and Georgia, reinforced with large

auxiliary steam plants advantageously

located in the Alabama coal fields.

Coordinated operation of the combined

system will make possible a maximum

utilization of power facilities in the

territory served by the two com-

panies, to the advantage of custom-

ers of both companies, and will prac-

tically insure against a recurrence of

a power famine such as existed during

the summer and fall of 1925. The re-

sulting improvement and stability of

service will materially contribute to

the industrial progress of a very large

and rapidly growing section of the

south.

"The Georgia Railway and Power

company has in view an extensive con-

structive program which includes de-

velopment of a number of additional

power and storage reservoirs on the

headwaters of the Coosa river in Geor-

gia and on tributaries of the Savan-

nah river. Likewise, the Alabama

Power company is engaged in a pro-

gram of further development of the

Coosa river in Alabama.

**Means Much to Users.**

"This should mean much to users

of electricity in Alabama, because

when water stored in Georgia is re-

leased to generate power in that state

it will increase the low-water flow on

the Coosa in the Alabama, and thus

regulate the flow of the Coosa and the

Alabama rivers below so as to secure

the greatest benefit both to power and

navigation, and complete the com-

plete.

**Georgia-Southeastern**

**POWER MERGER MADE**

Continued From First Page.

In the personnel or policy of the local

organization, it was also announced.

**FINANCIAL STATUS**

**OF GEORGIA COMPANY.**

The Georgia Railway and Power

company has outstanding \$25,000,000

common stock and \$15,400,000 of pre-

ferred stock. Its bonded indebted-

ness is \$17,432,000. It owns and

operates the Atlanta street railway

and gas and electric light company

of Atlanta. Its investment is es-

timated at \$110,000,000.

The company owns large power

developments in north Georgia, and

is now engaged on a building pro-

gram of five years, covering an ex-

penditure of approximately \$1,000,-

000 per year. It has developed wa-

ter power of 292,000 horsepower and

developed steam power of 30,800

horsepower.

H. M. Atkinson, on behalf of him-

self and other stockholders of the

Georgia Railway and Power company,

issued the following statement:

"By agreement consummated Janu-

ary 10, 1926, the individual stock-

holders owning substantially more than

a majority of the total outstanding

capital stock of the Georgia

Railway and Power company have

agreed to accept in exchange there-

for 1,633 shares of cumulative par-

ticipating preferred stock and one

share of non-par value common stock

of the Southeastern Power and Light

company for each share of Georgia

Railway and Power company common

stock owned by them.

"When completed this exchange

will bring under centralized unified

and coordinated ownership and man-

agement the Alabama Power com-

pany, a subsidiary of Southeastern

Power and Light company, and the Georgia

Railway and Power company.

**DIRECT BENEFIT**

**TO PUBLIC SEEN.**

"The individual stockholders of

both companies, parties to this ac-

reement, believe that this merger of their

interests, in effect partnership, will

result in economic advantage of di-

rect benefit to the public service be-

cause a stronger agency, both in fi-

nancial and physical resources, for ef-

ficient and continuous public service

will be the result.

"The agreement reached will make

possible more effective and continuous

use of present operating water power

and steam plants and will result in

future cooperative development of

water power in the various water

sheds of Georgia and Alabama.

"In addition auxiliary steam power

generated to the extent necessary at

the mouth of the Alabama coal mines

will be connected by wire with and

made available throughout the ter-

ritory, serving a condition of great eco-

nomie and industrial advantage.

"The several companies involved,

including their subsidiaries, have for

many years had continuous records

of successful management and devel-

opment. Each of them has performed

important service in the industrial

and business development of the south-

east. In partnership they will be

strengthened in every resource, and

will have increased opportunity to con-

tribute to a greater degree than ever

to the industrial and business pro-

gress of a very large and rapidly grow-

ing section of the south.

**CONCERNS TO OPERATE**

**AS INDIVIDUALS.**

The Alabama Power company and

the Georgia Railway and Power com-

pany will continue as individual op-

erating companies, with their own or-

ganizations and management, under

the local state laws, maintaining their

own financial structures and subject

to public regulation as to rates and

security issues within the respective

states served.

"The present policies and manage-

ment of the Georgia Railway and

Power company will continue.

No change in the organization personnel

is contemplated.

"Statements covering all details of

the transaction will be published

later."

Thomas W. Martin, president of the

Southeastern Power and Light com-

pany, which gains control of the Geor-

gia Railway and Power company, is

also president of the Alabama Power

company.

**History of Company.**

The Southeastern Power and Light

company was incorporated in 1924 in

Maine as the Security Holding com-

pany, to acquire and hold securities

of public utility companies and prop-

erties.

The economic advantages of a co-

ordinated development and operation

of the water-power projects in the

territory served by the two companies

are many. The diversity in the char-

acter of the industry served by the

two companies will enable the opera-

tions thus coordinated to absorb a

more uniform output of power than

is possible under separate operation.

It will insure a more dependable

power supply and secure the most ad-



## TREASURY NOT OPPOSED TO TAX BILL IN SENATE

(By Leased Wire to The Constitution and The Chicago Tribune.)  
Washington, January 21.—It can be stated with definiteness tonight that the treasury will offer no objection to the tax bill as submitted to the senate by its finance committee. While there was no official statement concerning the treasury's position, it was disclosed in an authoritative expression that the cut—roughly \$352,000,000—planned by the senate committee, will meet no interference from Secretary Mellon.

The treasury's position, apparently, is predicated upon the long held belief that any further cuts in taxes within reason, will be productive of a correspondingly important growth in comparative receipts. Mr. Mellon maintained that view throughout consideration of the tax laws of 1921 and 1924, and he has said several times that his position had been proved correct in tabulation of receipts under those laws. On occasion of each reduction in tax levels, the treasury claims there has been a new stimulation to business and resultant increase in taxable incomes.

Treasury tax experts who, it is logical to assume, reflect Mr. Mellon's views, explained today that the senate committee proposal went far to be safe, but they represented Mr. Mellon as being willing to take a chance on an increased volume of revenue under the lowered rates. Likewise, the expression was forthcoming from among high officials that Mr. Mellon thought it inadvisable to interfere in consideration of the bill, inasmuch as there was in all probability, the increase in receipts to be counted on as an offset to any estimated loss.

## ANOTHER UNIVERSE SIMILAR TO THIS IS PHOTOGRAPHED

Chicago, January 21.—(AP)—Another universe, similar to our own but inconceivably distant in space, has been photographed and measured by Dr. Edwin Hubble, he relates in the Astrophysical Journal of the University of Chicago.

It is 66,669,872,000,000,000 miles from the earth to the galaxy of stars which compose the other universe. From observations made at Mt. Wilson observatory, in California, the scientists have succeeded in measuring the universe which was first seen in 1884. Expressing its distance from the earth as 700,000 light years, he estimates the galaxy measures 4,000 light years across. Photographs taken with light which left the universe thousands of years ago show it to be a system of stars similar in appearance to the familiar Milky Way.

## SUIT FOR \$1,102,000 FILED AGAINST WEEKS

Washington, January 21.—(AP)—A suit against John W. Weeks, former secretary of war, for \$1,102,000 alleged to be involved in claims settled in 1921 in connection with the purchase by the United States of Austrian ships, was filed here today by Charles B. Brewer, former department of justice employee.

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## Walter Rich New President of M. Rich Company; Morris Rich Becomes Chairman of Firm's Board



Photograph by Kenneth Rogers, Staff Photographer.

Above are shown officers and directors of M. Rich & Bros. company, four of the latter being elected at the annual meeting of the company Wednesday, at which time Morris Rich, president (shown just to the right), was named chairman of the board, and Walter H. Rich, vice president and European buyer (shown at far right), was elected president. The group above is composed of: Sitting, left to right, Sol Rubin, director; W. H. Rich, president; D. H. Strauss, vice president and treasurer; F. H. Rich, director; standing, left to right, F. A. Sheram, director; J. P. Flynn, director; F. H. Neely, secretary and general manager; William T. Rich, director. The photograph of the officers and directors—with the exception of Morris Rich, who was absent when the picture was taken—was made in the Rich store conference room, donated and furnished by co-workers of the firm at the opening of the magnificent new store. In this room is a bronze tablet bearing the following inscription: "Presented to the executive officers—Morris Rich, president; Walter H. Rich, vice president; D. H. Strauss, secretary and treasurer; L. W. York, general manager—of M. Rich & Bros. Co., March 24, 1924, by their co-executive members. Masters, go on, we will follow thee, to the last with truth and loyalty." This room is called the "hall of fame" of M. Rich & Bros. company, in that portraits of its past founders and executives who have passed away, adorn its walls.

Morris Rich, president of M. Rich & Brothers company since its incorporation 25 years ago, was elected chairman of the board of directors at the annual meeting of the company, it was announced Thursday morning. Walter H. Rich, who for several years has been vice president and European buyer, was elected president.

At the meeting, which was held Wednesday, the company also declared a dividend of \$150,000 and elected four new members of the board of directors, increasing that body to nine members instead of five as in the past. The dividend declared represented 8 per cent on the preferred stock and 6 per cent on the common stock.

The great department store organization has just completed one of the most successful years in its history of over 50 years' service to the people of Atlanta and the south. It was stated.

President Walter Rich announced Thursday that as a result of the growth in the company's business, important enlargements in both facilities and service. This announcement is of special interest inasmuch as it is only two years since the company moved into the magnificent new building at Broad and Alabama streets, which it now occupies, the most modern department store edifice south of the Mason and Dixon line.

**Founded 58 Years Ago.**  
Although M. Rich & Brothers was originally founded as a firm over 50 years ago, it was only 25 years ago that the company was incorporated. During that 25-year period, it is interesting to note, the capitalization has grown from \$131,000, the paid-up capital stock when it was organized, to \$2,500,000 capitalization today.

The company's peculiarly an Atlanta organization, officered and manned by Atlantans, most of whom have grown up and received their training with the company.

Morris Rich, the newly-elected chairman of the board, founded M. Rich & Brothers company, 58 years ago, with his brothers, Emanuel Rich and Dan Rich. When the company was incorporated in 1901, he became its president, an office he has held since, until his election Wednesday as chairman of the board. He is known as one of America's leading merchants and is also considered one of the leaders in all movements for the civic advancement of the community.

**Born in Atlanta.**  
Walter H. Rich, the new president, was born and reared in Atlanta. He was educated in the Atlanta schools and at Columbia university, New York, where he graduated with a high record of scholastic attainment. He has just completed his silver jubilee in business, having been connected with the company for 25 years.

He was elected to the board of directors in 1906 and became treasurer in 1908. In 1920 he was elected vice president and has been an important factor in the success of the company, particularly in view of his work as head of the European buying forces of the organization.

He is connected with many charitable and civic organizations of Atlanta and is one of the best known of her business leaders.

David H. Strauss, newly-elected vice president and treasurer, has been secretary and treasurer since 1920. He first joined the firm 35 years ago, in the capacity of collector. Later he became credit manager and was then given charge of the office. At the firm's incorporation in 1901 he was elected secretary.

Mr. Strauss, among other activities in the Atlanta business world, is a director of the Citizens and Southern bank and a trustee of the Adair Realty and Trust company.

**Neely Made Secretary.**  
Frank H. Neely, who on Wednesday was elected secretary and general manager, first joined the organization

as general manager in 1924. He is a graduate of the Georgia School of Technology and a native of Rome, Ga. He graduated at Tech in mechanical engineering in 1904.

For the first eight years after his graduation, Mr. Neely was in the manufacturing plant of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company at Pittsburgh, Pa. For eight years he was in charge of production and labor control of the bag factories of the Fulton Bag and Cotton Mills, operating plants in Atlanta, New Orleans, St. Louis, Dallas, New York and Minneapolis.

William T. Rich, one of the directors of the company, is a son of the late Daniel Rich, one of the original founders of the firm, and vice president and treasurer of the corporation. William T. Rich was born in Atlanta and educated in the public schools, graduated at Boys' High and Georgia Tech. His first business training was with M. Rich & Brothers company, but he is now affiliated with Jacobs Pharmacy company, being treasurer and a member of that firm.

**Four New Directors.**  
In addition to the five officers named above, four new directors were named, increasing the directorate to nine. The four new directors, all of whom have been connected with the company for years and have worked their way up from the ranks, are: James P. Flynn, Sol Rubin, Fred A. Sheram and Richard H. Rich.

Mr. Flynn is a native Atlantian, educated in the public schools of the city. He first went to work with the Rich company in 1897, starting as a wrapping boy, later becoming a clerk, and was made shipping clerk, at a time when the only means of deliveries consisted of two one-horse wagons. Today a magnificent fleet of motorbikes covers the entire city delivery system.

Mr. Flynn was later transferred to the selling end, working in the wash goods department as salesman for three years, then transferring to the woolen department and later to the silk department. At that time the silk department employed three people while today there are over 30.

In 1914 Mr. Flynn was made buyer for silks and dress goods, and under his management this department has grown until today it ranks as one of the largest in the south.

Mr. Rubin was born and educated in Charleston, S. C., and got his first department store experience in St. Louis and New York.

Six years ago, sensing the trend to the south of business development, Mr. Rubin decided to return to his own section of the country, and came to the Rich organization as manager of the hosiery department. Under his direction, this department grew into the largest hosiery business south of Philadelphia. Mr. Rubin is now head of seven distinct departments, including the "bargain basement."

Mr. Sheram is a native of Columbus, Ga. He has been 25 years with the Rich company, beginning as salesman in the linen department. Mr. Sheram claims to have started in the ranks with the present executives, who were then accountants in the office, and worked their way up to their present positions. After five years as salesman in the linen department, Mr. Sheram won his first promotion when he became assistant manager of the art department, novelties, etc. In 1913 he was made buyer and manager of these departments.

For several years Mr. Sheram has made trips to New York every four to six weeks, and to the European markets once or twice a year, bringing to Atlanta the newest creations from the world's fashion centers, for his department.

**Richard Rich, Director.**  
Richard H. Rich, the other new director, is a grandson of Morris Rich. He was born in Atlanta in 1901. He graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 1922 and in addition to his academic work, did extra work



## Senator Edwards Rakes Prohibition In Bitter Speech

Wilmington, Del., January 21.—(AP)—"Prohibition is a farce and every adult human being knows it," Senator Edwards, democrat, New Jersey, declared in an address here tonight before the Delaware division of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment.

Describing the Volstead act as the "most despotic, corrupt, tyrannical and autocratic piece of class legislation ever passed upon the statute books in a once free country," he said it was passed over President Wilson's veto "by a subservient lobby of we are better than those enthusiasts sat in the senate and house galleries juggling the destinies of legislators in the hollow of their hand."

Turning his guns on Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon league, and others whom he characterized as a "band of unscrupulous and inordinately bigoted, whose only claim to recognition and fame is their moronic normalization," the speaker said they might vilify him, but that he was unafraid.

"Prohibition has tried and convicted itself," he continued. "Last Saturday, the 16th day of this month, prohibition celebrated its sixth birthday, and entered the seventh year of its existence. And it is still a palpitating, red-blooded, national issue today."

"If it has been a success, as its proponents say, why is it a more vital issue now than it was five years ago?"

## REPEAL OF BETTING LAW IN KENTUCKY GIVEN SETBACK

Frankfort, Ky., January 21.—(AP)—Efforts to repeal the law prohibiting betting under the pari-mutuel system on Kentucky race tracks received setback in both houses of the general assembly today. The senate statute committee unfavorably reported a bill to repeal the law, and the house voted 51 to 41 not to permit a similar bill to be taken from committee and given a first reading, leaving it in committee.

## COMPANY DENIES CHARGES OF UNFAIR BUSINESS METHODS

Washington, January 21.—(AP)—The National Cash Register company, of Dayton, Ohio, in an answer filed with the federal trade commission today to a complaint charging it with unfair methods of competition, denied the allegations, and declared it was not attempting to restrain competition or monopolize the manufacture and sale of cash registers.

The company further denied that it was trying to force out of business the Remington Cash Register company of Ilion, N. Y., which was described in the complaint as its chief competitor.

## GENERAL LASSITER ARRIVES IN ARICA

(Copyright, 1926, by The Constitution and The Chicago Tribune.)  
Arica, Chile, January 21.—Major General William Lassiter, who is here to take over General John J. Pershing's place as chairman of the Tacana Arica plebiscitary commission, arrived aboard the American cruiser, Cleveland today. He received an ambassador's salute from the U. S. S. Denver, the Chilean cruiser Chacabuco, and the Morro fort.

## Savannah Bridge Approved.

Washington, January 21.—(AP)—The senate today approved, without a record vote, a house measure authorizing the counties of Anderson, S. C., and Elbert, Ga., to construct a bridge across the Savannah river between Iva, S. C., and Elberton, Ga. The measure now goes to the president.

## WOMAN'S BODY FOUND; CAFE EMPLOYEE HELD

Asheville, N. C., January 21.—(AP)—The body of a woman, identified as Mary Burgess, 23, was found today in a clump of woods near an exclusive residential section of the city. Police said the woman had been murdered. Bill Davis, cafe employee, was being held.

## NO CHANGE OF FRONT IN SOCIALISTS' FIGHT

Paris, January 21.—(AP)—The daily change in tactics on the part of the radicals and socialists in the fight with the government over financial measures has brought no change of front. Both parties remained on their positions awaiting the next move by the adversary.

Premier Briand's policy seems to be to await the result of the cabinet's deliberations in the finance committee, then demand a vote in the chamber. The debate on the question will come probably early next week.

## COLD WAVE SWEEPS OVER MIDDLE WEST TOWARD SEABOARD

Chicago, January 21.—(AP)—The middle west tonight shivered in the grip of another cold wave brought here in the teeth of a high northwest wind and moving rapidly eastward. Temperatures of 5 below zero were anticipated for Chicago by morning with zero temperatures expected in many sections of the middlewest and northwest. The weather bureau held out hope, however, that the extreme cold snap will be short-lived and expected moderating temperatures by Sunday. Tonight the cold was generated from the Rocky Mountains and moved eastward with prospects for lowered temperatures as far as the Atlantic seaboard by tomorrow.

Europe, turning determinedly to ways of peace, will find the fox trot pleasanter than the goose step.

## Congress Labor Bill Is Indorsed By Rail Workers

Cincinnati, January 21.—(AP)—Indorsement of the labor bill now pending in congress was voiced in a resolution adopted by the general chairman of Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees, in semi-annual meeting here. The bill would provide that boards of wage adjustment may be formed on individual railroads, by regions or on a national scale, and is said to have been agreed upon by the standard railroad organizations and a majority of the carriers.

The general chairman formed national boards of adjustment and requested their president, E. H. Fitzgerald, to work with this end in view in conferences between carriers and the unions, which will be held to put the provisions of the bill into operation, in event of its passage.

General sentiment among the chairmen was that the proposed legislation would make for a better relationship between carriers and their employees and prove advantageous to both sides. A feeling of confidence that the bill would pass congress was expressed by the general chairman.

Final refusal of the clerks' brotherhood to abide by the ultimatum of the American Federation of Labor and surrender to the International Teamsters' union such members of its organization as are employed as express drivers and chauffeurs, was handed to President William Green, of the A. F. of L., last night.

## DOZIER APPOINTED ADJUTANT GENERAL

Columbia, S. C., January 21.—(AP)—James C. Dozier, winner of the congressional medal of honor in the World war and for the last three years secretary of the board of public welfare, was today appointed by Governor McLeod as adjutant general, to succeed Robert E. Craig, who died suddenly last week. Mr. Dozier will probably take office tomorrow.

## 43 SHIPS BLOCKADED IN MIAMI HARBOR

Miami, Fla., January 21.—(AP)—Forty-three ships, including 12 steamers and 33 sailing vessels, today were tied up at Miami unable to unload. The harbor has been tightly bottled since the capsizing of the Prins Valdemar in the entrance January 10.

Conservative estimates place the loss to shipping at above the two million mark.

Announcement was made today, however, that the harbor again will be open to navigation within the next two days.

Colonel Gilbert Youngberg, United States district engineer at Jacksonville, arrived this afternoon to take charge of the work of clearing the channel unless private interests are able to raise it before tomorrow.



If the barkentine is not raised, Colonel Youngberg said the masts will be cut away to make it possible for vessels to enter and leave the harbor by a channel "by-path" around the sunken hull. Dredges have been working on this "by-path" since the Prins Valdemar sank.

## ROME LEGION STARTS DRIVE FOR MEMBERS

Rome, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—Promptly at 9:30 o'clock this morning Roy Young and his storm troops of Shanklin-Attaway post, American legion, started an attack on the non-legion members among the former service men with a view of giving the Shanklin-Attaway post 400 members in 1926. The total for 1925 was 246.

National Commander McQuigg has set a mark of a million members for 1926 and Georgia's quota is 10,000, of which over 2,000 have been secured to date.

The legion committee is planning to call on former service men and sign them up, as this post expects to obtain 400 members in record-breaking time.

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CONFIDENCE IN GOD—(And Abraham said, and will provide himself the lamb for a burnt offering, my son.)—Gen. 22:8.

PRAYER—O thou giver of every good and perfect gift, accept our heartfelt thanks for the Lamb of God, Who taketh away the sin of the world.

A PROSPEROUS WAY—(And he said unto me, The Lord, before whom I walk, will send His angel with thee, and prosper thy way.)—Gen. 22:40.

PRAYER—We rejoice, O Lord, of all who observe Thy commandment, Thou dost make the way prosperous.

THE HIGHWAY ISSUE.

On this page is a most interesting and important discussion of the present highway situation in Georgia by A. H. Thompson, of LaGrange. It calls attention to a lack of system, as evidenced by official figures taken from the report of the department, and also from the state auditor's report, that is startling—not in the sense of any culpability, but in the sense of a most distressing condition of overlapping, lost motion, excessive overhead, and inefficiency from organic incoordination, rather than from any personal inability.

Mr. Thompson is a trained lawyer, and is one of the most honored, dependable and useful men in the state. He is a good business man, and is not inclined to sensationalism, nor to demagoguery. He is not a politician in the sense of an officeholder or seeker. His analysis of the road situation, therefore, cannot be passed over with a gesture.

He finds, from a study of the official figures, that the state is paying entirely too much for administration as compared to payments for construction and maintenance.

He finds the system of maintaining nine separate engineering units as unbalancing and destructive to economy and to efficiency from the standpoint of the state as a unit.

He finds that it is this operative plan as made by the legislature that is responsible for the present checker-board road map that has ditched more automobiles in Georgia than has this winter than at any time since the state had a so-called highway system.

He does not criticize the highway board collectively or individually, but the system. He urges the legislature to make a change.

In these matters The Constitution heartily agrees that Mr. Thompson's views are not only sound, but that his analysis of the situation is unanswerable. There is something wrong with any defined plan of operation that has precipitated a highway condition such as we have in the state today, in view of the vast sums of money that have been spent since the organization of the state department in 1919.

There is no argument as to that. Counties alone have voted approximately \$20,000,000 in bonds since 1919. These counties are scattered over the state. Only here and there are two or more of the bonding counties connected. This has given the road map of Georgia the appearance of a crazy quilt.

And so it is—for it is an indisputable fact that there is not one paved highway in any direction through Georgia. Not one! There is not one that is even passable in a season of wet weather.

And yet, in addition to the funds raised by counties, are the federal aids, amounting to an average of \$2,000,000 a year, and the state road funds provided by the gasoline tax, which is increasing a million dollars—approximately—a year, while the maintenances are provided for with the license taxes.

With these funds made available and spent since 1919, and Georgia's present highway status, there is no challenging the statement that the system is wrong.

Mr. Thompson makes the analysis clear. He goes into details, with citations in briefing his case, that compel attention. And most serious and thoughtful attention at that.

In his argument for a change in system—or, in what he more correctly, perhaps, says, for "the establishment of a system"—he believes that a statewide bond issue is unnecessary. With this The Con-

stitution disagrees, for this reason: Eighty-five per cent of the traffic in Georgia is over 7 per cent of the state road mileage. That is confined to the main trunk lines known as the through-state or interstate roads. And yet there is not one of these through-state roads that has not along it a number of counties that cannot bond to provide their quotas necessary in connecting their links of pavement with the other links.

Such counties—some of which have before bonded and built temporary roads that are now practically useless—have not the taxable wealth upon which to predicate bonds. It would not be equitable to other counties for the state to build roads without local aid in one county, and with local aid in another. It would be a revolutionary procedure. Then would it not be well for the state to provide with bonds a revolving fund with which the state can finance such weak counties on a 3 1/2 per cent basis, while the counties by direct bonds would have to pay 5 per cent.

If these counties are to be left out of the building programs—some 65 in Georgia—then the very condition that makes Georgia's road system today a failure would be accentuated rather than remedied.

Again the state will not in the "pay-as-you-go" plan have enough funds to complete a county end to county seat program of permanent roads within seven or even ten years. There is no way to figure it. The building of only temporary roads is foolish. Georgia's sad experiences of today ought to impress that fact. Bond funds—even local—should never be used for that purpose. The state cannot afford to dissipate its annual gas tax fund in temporary roads.

To say that we cannot spend judiciously more than \$10,000,000 a year is, of course, a matter of opinion. It may be well to understand, however, that the North Carolina department spent \$27,000,000 last year and built 1,500 miles of highway, two-thirds of which is pavement. Its overhead, or administrative expense, is limited by law to \$250,000 a year. Mr. Thompson figures that the same expenses in Georgia last year totaled more than \$1,000,000.

Georgia only spent all told in 1925 around \$6,000,000 in road work. That combined federal, state and county funds. Of course Georgia, with the proper system of coordination and business efficiency, and a definite plan, could build advantageously 1,500 miles of road a year instead of 300—and the overhead for the 1,500 could no doubt be made less—through proper reorganization—than now for the 300.

These are matters to think about—on the terms of 3,000,000 Georgians. Mr. Thompson's analysis must be thought about. It must be successfully answered, or it must go before the legislature as an impelling argument for a complete change in the system of highway construction in this state.

BARKER PROMOTED.

The directors of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce very commendably made Benjamin S. Barker executive vice president. He has been executive secretary. The promotion enlarges his executive authority, relieves him of much detail, but places the management of that great trade body squarely up to him. It is a big job but it is placed in worthy and competent hands. Mr. Barker has proven himself peculiarly fitted for the heavy responsibilities involved in the executive management of not only the largest trade organization in Georgia but in the south. The chamber of commerce is a clearing house. Under it are a large number of different activities. All of these activities while segregated in service are united in general supervision. There are several meetings and conferences of one kind and another held daily. They run the gamut from cultural and social uplift to industrial development. Business men and women should take a keen interest in this organization, and they are. It is an enormous institution. The annual banquet this evening will probably be featured by the largest number of covers ever spread at one time in an Atlanta building.

The Constitution congratulates the chamber of commerce upon its elevation of Mr. Barker, who has served it faithfully and well. He is a useful, resourceful, spirited citizen.

In the conviction of Gore for the murder of William Cheek, one more murderer is added to the list of killers for whom the electric chair is waiting—and it might be a good idea for the lawless to bear in mind that the courts are always open for customers of their ilk.

The power and light merger having brightened the news columns of the papers for several days, the natural question now is as to whether its consummation will brighten the "corner right where we are" and cause the wheels of business to spin more merrily.

The federal dope prisoner who was struck down by an automobile on an Atlanta street Thursday as he was trying to escape no doubt thought he was getting a belated kick from his last "shot."

# Just From Georgia

BY FRANK L. STANTON

The Lonely One.

Cheer up, Brother Mockinbird,

Snow is in your nest,

Looking mighty lonely

Is the home you love the best,

But soon you will be singing

With the blossoms at your breast.

Singing of the joy of the spring-time!

II.

Cheer up, Brother Mockinbird,

For here's a sunny day!

And there's a shout of "blowin'!

All the stormy clouds away;

The weary world is waitin'!

For the music of the May,

And soon you'll be singin' of the springtime!

Talking It Over.

The Thomasville Times-Enterprise man has his "filing" in these paragraphs.

There are a few men who drank a lot of moonshine last Christmas who have almost recovered.

If you ask a girl to see her home, she will ask you what sort of a car you possess. It didn't used to be that way.

"The brakes on your car may not work, and when your mind is not working also you are in the dicken's of a fix."

"When they come back with a sign 'Busted and Disgusted,' we all know, and the policeman who was making an inventory of her pocketbook, pulled out an identification card that changed his whole demeanor in the flash of a moment. He ordered everybody out gruffly, while first he had rather invited spectators. He whispered a name that electrified the bystanders."

Scene at the corner of 34th and Fifth avenue, 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A woman with disheveled hair, bleating face and screaming like a lunatic races in the midst of

Never said my New Year promise

Ever, was I told, on the highway.

But, please God, I'm up again!

Up again, and on the way.

That's 'bout all that I can say.

II.

Never made no brags about it,

So, when on the road I fell,

Warn't nobody that was lookin'—

I was all they was to tell!

"Up again, an' on the way!"

That's 'bout all that I stopped to say!

Just To Think!

(From Missouri Notes.)

"See what evolution does for women," exclaims the Vassarburg Star-Journal.

"After all this kicking for equal rights their feet are getting bigger."

"Fortunately," says the Adams Enterprise, "there isn't enough fire of genius in this settlement to burn the wind or the woods."

"All Aboard!"

The picnic train is a'comin' round the hill—

Life in the old land still!

The fiddle and the fiddle and he's playin' with a will—

Life in the old land still!

Take your places, people, when the dancin' shall begin!

Glances from the bright eyes of your sweethearts you will win!

Ain't a word above you like the one you're livin' in—

Joy is singin' on the highway!

"The Lady Spring."

Unmistakable spring sign in this, from the Tifton Gazette—

"Fort Valley is busy preparing for the fifth annual Peach Blossom Festival to be held this year. This is by far the greatest attraction ever put on by a Georgia community and has won for Fort Valley national wide fame. The festival this year is expected to be bigger and better than ever before and the Fort Valley folks are just public-spirited enough to even give a great accomplishment of the past."

The Certain Call.

The River'll soon be in wait,

For the fish are bitin'.

You'd better have the bait."

Words of Br'er Williams.

I don't want to be so happy that

I'll forget all my troubles. When

you comes ter think of it, trouble is

do one thing what keeps you in de straight road."

Drawing of Business

Center of Atlanta

Work of Joseph Ness

The remarkable picture of the business center of Atlanta as printed in the Constitution rotogravure section of last Sunday has attracted unusual attention. The picture presented a graphic view of the proposed new viaduct across the river and the relation of the other business thoroughfares of the city.

The picture from this illustration was made was from the original drawing of Joseph Ness, made at the time the Beeler plan was worked out. This drawing, then submitted to The Constitution, has been kept in its original form, and in reproducing it credit should have been given to Mr. Ness' ingenuity and to his ability in visualizing the great improvement involved in the development of the viaduct.

The Constitution takes pleasure now in giving him full credit for the drawing.

The New Year

Flower buds on a Book unread;

A Tree with fruit unharvested;

A Path untrodden; A House whose rooms

Lack yet the heart's divi' perfumes;

A Landscape whose wide border lies

In silent shade 'neath silent skies;

A Wondrous fountain yet unsealed;

A Casket with its gifts concealed;

This is the Year that for you waits

Beyond tomorrow's mystic gates."

HENRY M. NORTH.

Augusta, Ga.

New Piggy Wiggy

Will Be Opened at

Beecher and Cascade

The first new Piggy Wiggy store to be opened in Atlanta in 1926 will be in West End at Beecher street and Cascade avenue, Harry G. Brown, local manager, announced Thursday. The store will be in charge of R. J. Belknap and will be opened at an early date.

This announcement follows one made at the first of the year by Mr. Brown that the Piggy Wiggy organization would make more developments in Atlanta this year than in the past several years. Mr. Brown said that other locations in various parts of the city have been selected and will be opened within a few months.

# LIGHTS OF NEW YORK

BY PIERRE VAN PAASSEN

The traffic. Cars away and swerve,

the lumbering buses come to a stop

with grinding of heavy brakes. A

dozen rear and collisions occur within

a minute's time. The cops be-

come excited. That is to say, they

begin to shout. The woman runs

around in a circle. Her clothes are

torn, her eyes are dilated with ter-

ror. She is being pursued. A fel-

low with a walrus moustache is the

villain. Here he comes yelling at

her and shaking his fists. Panic on

the sidewalk. Women scream and

start to run. The air reverberates

with shouts, exclamations, yells, ta-

tooting and horn blowing. Pande-

monium, excitement, dreadful sus-

pense. Then the lady suddenly bows

to the cops and runs to a waiting

car and speeds away.

A couple of fellows with their caps

turned backward forward climb down

from a sort of step ladder contrap-

tion. The scene has been "shot."

You'll see it on the screen in a couple

of weeks.

"When you ride on front of a bus,

as I have done for 17 years," said

the Fifth avenue chariotier to me,

"you'll begin to believe that this town

is dead. Everything is the same, the

houses, the crowds, the streets, the

stops. You become just a part of the

machine itself. You might just as

well be in the smallest village." That

also is a point of view on Gotham.

The wisest cracks of 1925 have

been collected. Frank Sullivan is

represented with: "My heart was

bumping like a Broadway street car

going over the cross-town tracks at

Times Square." Karl Kitchen shines

with: "Wet as an army and navy

game." And Don Marquis with:

"He had no more talent for effi-

ciency than a guinea pig has for mid-

Victorian morality."

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My Story of Atlanta

BY SAM W. SMALL

CHAPTER XLVII

Atlanta's First Schools.

The passion for the education of

their children has always been a

marked characteristic of the citizens

of Atlanta. It cannot be stated defi-

nitely who was the first person to

take the blueback spelling book and

wield the fescue for the children of

the city. It is certain that as soon

as their number became more than

the mothers with their busy house-

hold duties could gather around their

knives for instruction in letters and

figures, a school was promoted. Tradition says it was begun by a lady

who needed occupation and earnings

for her own support.

The first reported school was that

of Miss Martha Reed, who set up a

small private school in her house

near the Georgia railroad. She main-

tained it for only a year, covering

the latter part of 1845 and the spring

of 1846. In the next year, 1847, Dr.

Needles L. Angier came into the city

and built a schoolhouse, to which he

gave the dignified name of "Angier

academy." In it he and his good

wife, and a group of his friends, in-

tegrated in New York by the name of

White, taught successfully for sev-

eral years. In another year Dr. and

Mrs. Angier, who were in the city

and had for several years suc-

cessful success.

The increasing population brought

an increasing demand for school

facilities. It was remembered that

in that day birth control and race

segregation were unimagined terms.



## Weston Assumes New Duties As High Advertising Manager

Atlanta advertising men and Atlanta as an advertising center long have ranked high in the advertising and business world in the opinion of D. L. Weston, recently of Montreal, Canada, who has arrived in Atlanta to assume his duties as advertising manager of the J. M. High company, one of Atlanta's foremost department stores.

For many years Mr. Weston has been affiliated with the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, holding many important posts in that body, and during this time has come in friendly contact with many of Atlanta's leading advertising men.

### Feels at Home Here.

"This is my first association with the south in an official business way, although I paid Atlanta a visit several years ago," Mr. Weston said. "I already feel at home here and am glad that I have become identified with such a progressive and growing concern as the J. M. High company and am glad to cast my lot in a city with such glowing possibilities for future growth and expansion as Atlanta possesses."

Mr. Weston said he long had admired the south and southern people. He said the finest principles of Americanism can be found in the south and also expressed admiration of the conservative atmosphere of this section. "I have traveled over the entire United States and am glad to say that I have found little radicalism anywhere in this country. This is particularly true of the south where the people seem to adhere to all the best principles and traditions of conservatism," he said.

Mr. Weston, while new in the south, has a high reputation as an advertising expert in northern states and in Canada. A graduate from the field of journalism he has filled high posts in the advertising staffs of the larger department stores of Cincinnati, Ohio; Montreal, Canada; and Richmond, Va. He also is well known in the advertising field in New York and Chicago.

### Has Held High Positions.

Mr. Weston is a former director of the Associated Retail Advertisers' Association of the United States and of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. He was a member of the headquarters executive committee of the associated clubs in New York and is a past president of the Montreal Publicity association, one of the outstanding clubs in the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. The enthusiasm Mr. Weston holds for the advertising profession is attested by his service as honorary lecturer on advertising for four consecutive years for the Y. M. C. A. while in Canada.

### FOR SKIN TORTURES

Zemo, the Clean, Antiseptic Liquid, Just What You Need.

Don't worry about Eczema or other skin troubles. You can have a clear, healthy skin by using Zemo. Zemo generally removes pimples, blackheads, blotches, Eczema and Ringworm and makes the skin clear and healthy. Zemo is a clean, penetrating, antiseptic liquid that does not show and may be applied day or night. Ask your druggist for a small size 60c or large bottle \$1.00.—(adv.)

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is a prescription for Colds, Grippe, Flu, Dengue, Bilious Fever and Malaria. It kills the germs.

BLOOD WILL TELL



In your grandfather's time a man lived a vigorous, out-door life. The red blood of courage was in every line of face and showed in every muscle of his body.

Strength of body and strength of purpose mean success.

Get DR. PIERCE'S Golden Medical DISCOVERY

That Reliable Herbal Tonic, from your nearest druggist, in either fluid or tablets.

It will aid digestion, make your blood redder and you will be ready for any task that may confront you.—(adv.)

Diamond-Platinum Jewelry

There is in our collection of diamond-platinum jewelry myriads of exquisite designs. Individual in beauty and charm and very distinctive. Bracelets, necklaces, bar-pins, rings, wrist-watches and numerous other beautiful pieces to choose from. The same perfection of workmanship prevails all ways. A wide price range.

MAIER & BERKELE, Inc.

31 Whitehall Street Established 38 Years

## WALKER MAY CALL SESSION THIS WEEK

Returning to his office after a three-day speaking tour on behalf of the legislative program for the extraordinary session, Governor Clifford Walker Thursday declared that the people of Georgia are overwhelmingly in favor of a modern unified educational system, a modern paved highway system and a modern health system in the state.

Governor Walker points to the practically unanimous vote for road bonds by county after county in all sections of the state, and to the direct expression of the people who have gathered to hear him speak on the progressive program advocated.

To date I have addressed eleven public assemblies in different judicial circuits," said the governor, "and without a single exception the people have by a rising vote unanimously approved the program outlined above."

### Call For Session.

Governor Walker intimated that he probably would issue the formal call for the extra session, which he announced a month ago would be asked to convene on February 24, sometime this week. He also intimated that the subjects to be discussed probably would be limited to the three already announced, good roads, better schools and payment of Confederate pensions.

The governor issued the following statement Thursday:

"It has been demonstrated that the people of Georgia are overwhelmingly demanding a modern unified educational system from the public schools to the university, a modern paved highway system and a modern health system; (1) by the practically unanimous vote for bonds by county after county in every section of the state (2) by the direct expression of the people themselves. To date I have addressed eleven public assemblies in different judicial circuits and without a single exception the people have by a rising vote unanimously approved the program outlined above. Yesterday the people of Emanuel county gave such a demonstration as has not been witnessed in years when the large courthouse auditorium and gallery was packed with representative citizens and many could not find seats.

### Should Provide Program.

"I am justified in saying that since the people are demanding constructive action the time has come when discussion of past events and all extraneous issues should cease; personalities and politics should be eliminated; the one question of the hour should be the best method of carrying out the several elements of the progressive program without unreasonable delay.

"As in the past this administration has consistently called into counsel the best minds of the state in approaching the solution of complex business problems so in advising with the legislature I shall rely largely upon the wisdom of experienced and patriotic students of the questions involved.

"There remains now only a month to prepare for legislative action. I, therefore, appeal for unity of purpose and concentration of thought in business men in the general assembly and out of it to the end that we may agree upon and carry into effect a progressive program for Georgia."

## FINAL SERVICES FOR MRS. HARRIS TO BE HELD TODAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Harris, 84, who died Wednesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George H. Faus, 75 Fairview road, will be held at 10:30 o'clock this morning from the home of Mrs. Faus. The Rev. J. N. Quillian will officiate and interment will be in West View cemetery.

Mrs. Harris was the widow of W. H. Harris, who died in 1910. She was born in Odessa, Del., 1839, moving to Indiana in 1859 and to Atlanta 20 years later. She had made her home here since.

She was an active member of the South Atlanta Methodist church. Mrs. Harris took keen interest in church work and the affairs of her family. She became seriously ill last Friday and did not recover.

She is survived by a son, W. H. Harris, who for many years was president of the Peerless Laundry company, and now with the Peerless Laundry company; four daughters, Miss Myrtle Harris and Mrs. Faus, of Atlanta; Mrs. W. F. Graves, of New York; and Mrs. James H. Taylor, of Emporia, Va.

## NEW TITLE VOTED BY CITY CHAMBER FOR B. S. BARKER

B. S. Barker, who has been executive secretary of the chamber of commerce, was given the title of executive vice president of the organization Thursday at a meeting of the board of directors.

The title conferred upon him is in line with titles conferred upon executive officers by chambers of commerce in leading cities of the United States, it was pointed out.

Mr. Barker came to Atlanta in February, 1922, as secretary of the Atlanta organization. He was elected an ex-officio member of the board of directors and in 1924 was named executive secretary.

## Henry Pennypacker Comes to Atlanta in Interest of Howard

Henry Pennypacker, chairman of the committee on admission and chairman of the committee on the regulation of athletics at Harvard university, who is on a speaking tour through the middle west and south, is scheduled to visit Atlanta February 8 and 9, for an address to Harvard graduates.

Mr. Pennypacker was headmaster of the Boston Latin school for ten years prior to coming to Harvard in 1920, was faculty resident in Stanish Hall, one of Harvard's freshman dormitories, and succeeded Dean Briggs as chairman of the athletic committee in 1924. He is a graduate of the Harvard class of '88.

## GRIER TO ADDRESS ALUMNI OF ERSKINE

Dr. R. C. Grier, of Due West, S. C., president of Erskine college, will deliver the principal address at 7:30 o'clock tonight at a meeting of Erskine college alumni at the Associated Reformed Presbyterian church.

Another speaker of note who is expected to address the alumni tonight is Dode Phillips, recently elected athletic director of the South Carolina school.

More than 50 former students are expected to attend. Entertainment features will be furnished by Mrs. Susie Reese Kennedy and Mrs. G. Carmichael, the former with musical selections and Mrs. Carmichael with readings.

## Muscogee Jury Asks Bond Issue For State Roads

Columbus, Ga., January 21.—(AP)—Urging the enactment of legislation to the end of issuing bonds for the completion of road paving in the state of Georgia and calling on the Muscogee county members of the general assembly to support such measure, the Muscogee county grand jury made public its general presentations here today.

The presentations pointed out that the lack of good roads has kept the state from progressing, and stressed the necessity of prompt action in issuing highway paving bonds.

The grand jury also urged the state highway commission to include a representative from every congressional district in Georgia as another recommendation of the grand jury.

Consolidation of the county offices of tax collector and tax receiver was urged in the presentations. The combined office would be known as the tax commissioner, according to the recommendations of the grand jury.

## AUDITOR SLATE FINDS OWN BOOKS WITHOUT ERROR

The state auditing department disclosed the entire \$18,000 of its 1925 appropriation correctly and without bookkeeping errors or any shortage.

This fact is shown in the audit of his own department made by State Auditor Sam J. Slate and filed in the governor's office.

In commenting upon the audit, Auditor Slate on Thursday expressed regret to newspapermen that he had been unable to discover any shortage or misappropriation of funds in his own department, declaring that it was so unusual as to provide a story more worthy of newspaper space than this.

## NEW CONDUCTOR OF HOWARD GIVES PRAISE TO JAZZ

"Jazz music" is all right and the teenagers among "young America" composers will be bringing a "jazz flavor" to future classical compositions, according to Maximilian Pilzer, new conductor of the Howard theater orchestra, who arrived in Atlanta Thursday. Mr. Pilzer will begin his new duties next week.

Mr. Pilzer is a violinist and conductor of international reputation. For years he played with some of the leading orchestras of the country and was for a time concert master of the famous New York Philharmonic orchestra, one of the foremost musical organizations in the world.

While Mr. Pilzer is a musician of the highest rank he believes in "jazz music" to a certain degree and is a great admirer of Paul Whiteman, famous "jazz" orchestra leader.

## GIRL EVANGELIST REACHES ATLANTA FOR BIG REVIVAL

Udine Mahelle Utley, who has gained national renown as a girl revivalist, arrived in Atlanta Thursday afternoon to plan for her three week revival services, which open at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Atlanta Gospel Tabernacle, 79 Capitol avenue.

Miss Utley—who is only 13 years of age—said she had heard a great deal about Atlanta, and was extremely anxious to begin the services. She said that she felt sure that the meetings here would be very successful. The campaign in Atlanta opens Sunday morning. Miss Utley will speak three times Sunday, at 11 o'clock, 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and at 7:30 o'clock at night. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## MAY BRING CENTRAL MEETING TO ATLANTA

Atlanta probably will be awarded the 1927 annual meeting of the Central of Georgia railway, according to advices received by the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce. The chamber has extended an invitation to the officers of the railway. The meeting is usually attended by approximately 1,500 persons. For the past number of years it has been held in Macon, the 1925 annual meeting having recently ended there.



Says aching and stiffness are helped right away

## HOW ATHLETES TREAT STRAINS AND SPRAINS

Gymnasium director advises simple, easy treatment

Hard exercise brings lame muscles—and often bruises and strains as well.

An athletic director in a gymnasium at Utica, N. Y., writes that he has found a simple and always effective way of treating them.

"Just pat on a little Sloan's Liniment, as the bottle says, without rubbing. It takes out stiffness and pain as nothing else will. We have it always on hand and we think it is the best ever."

Sloan's gives real help because it doesn't just deaden the pain; it gets to the cause. Right to the place that hurts it brings a healing tide of fresh new blood—builds up the injured tissues—clears out the fatigue poisons.

Almost at once you feel relief. Stiffness, swelling, inflammation go down. The pain stops. Get a bottle today and have it on hand. All druggists—35 cents.

## \$6,000,000 VOTED FOR ROAD BONDS

There is now available for road construction work in Georgia, as the result of roads bonds issued by various counties, a total of \$5,529,945.01, according to a table of statistics published by The Week, organ of the utilities information committee of Georgia.

This total, however, does not take into account several large county bond issues which have been voted during the past few days, which will bring the total well above the \$6,000,000 mark.

The counties which have issued bonds in most cases have expected the state to match their money dollar for dollar by state aid funds and these figures are of particular interest at this time, when a \$70,000,000 issue of state highway bonds is advocated, in view of the fact that the amount of construction money available to the highway department, without the bond issue, will require three years or more to match the county funds, even if no other roads are constructed in other parts of the state. The figures presented show that a total of \$16,261,000 has been issued in county bonds, of which \$10,611,054.99 has been expended.

## SAYS STATE NEEDS BETTER ROAD SYSTEM

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planning, engineering, supervision and inspection all retained by the state highway commission. It makes no difference how much money is obtained under the existing practices, we would still have a checkerboard road system with disconnected pavement, and in extremely rainy weather impassable in places. To undertake to do too much of this work in one year would certainly not be economical, since all prices of road material and labor would thereby increase. If the foregoing plan is adopted in each year, based on contracts heretofore made by the state highway commission, approximately 400 miles of paved road and 200 miles of top-soiled and graded road could be completed and paid for, still leaving \$2,000,000 for maintenance and overhead expenses.

If the call for a special session of the legislature should be made for the purpose of creating a state highway system and using the funds as above indicated, this revenue would be sufficient without state bonds to build and maintain the roads. There are about 2,000 miles of primary

**STONE MOUNTAIN**  
(Carving Now Going On)  
Points of Interest in Atlanta  
Luxurious Dixie Coaches  
Lv. 10:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m.  
Compeart Lecturers

**IMPERIAL HOTEL**  
Peachtree and Ivy Streets  
Atlanta  
Large attractive outside rooms carefully maintained. Very moderate rates daily and permanent.  
RICH F. GALVIN, Proprietor.

roads in Georgia, of which amount perhaps 500 miles in segments are already paved. If this is correct, then the main highways could be completed in approximately four years. At the same time several hundred miles of the secondary roads could be graded and top-soiled, preparatory to paving them.

What Georgia needs is not more revenue, but a highway system, definitely fixed by law, providing:

1. A highway fund.

2. A classification of the highways into primary and secondary roads.

3. A budget of the expenditures of this highway fund. (1) For construction of paved, connected primary highways, from state line to state line; (2) For grading and top-soiling secondary roads, preparatory to pavement; (3) A maintenance fund for all state aid roads; (4) An emergency fund, overhead expenses, including engineering, supervision and inspection costs.

4. All contracts for construction should be let out by contracts to the low bidder under a bond.

5. All maintenance work should be done by the local county board of roads and revenues, under contracts with and under the supervision of the state highway commission.

If 60 per cent of the state fund is used for pavement, and 12 per cent for graded, top-soiled roads, and if to this is added the federal aid fund, it would amount to nearly \$8,000,000 for construction each year, and would be sufficient to match on a basis of

three to one the funds from county bonds, aggregating \$2,000,000, or a total construction fund per year of more than \$10,000,000. There would still be left for maintenance and overhead expenses more than \$2,000,000.

More Money for Counties.  
The foregoing budget plan would include the 1 cent per gallon oil tax now distributed to the several counties, but more than this sum would be paid to the several counties under the maintenance contract provided for, based on state aid road mileage. It is estimated that this fund would pay more than \$200 per mile per annum for maintenance.

It is but fair to state that the lack of a system provided by law is not up to the highway commission, but the failure to provide a highway system is a question in the first instance for the legislature and in its last analysis, it rests with the demand of the people.

Let us have better roads with the revenue obtainable and without pledging the credit of the state for a period of 30 years for an expenditure which is only temporary, or semi-permanent. If we have a reasonable amount collected annually, then why the necessity of issuing state bonds? It would be a much better advertisement for the state to use its available sources of revenue and pay for this work annually, rather than advertise to the world that we have lifted Georgians in the mire by a bond issue.

A. H. THOMPSON.  
LaGrange, Ga., January 20, 1926.

## VOSE PIANOS

PHILLIPS & CREW  
PIANO COMPANY  
Established 1865

181 Peachtree St. WAL. 8061

## Parks-Chambers-Hardwick Co.

37-39 Peachtree St.

## Shirt Sale

Manhattan And All Of "Our Own Label" In Fancy Attached Or Neckband Styles---

25% Less Than Regular Prices  
\$2.50 to \$7.00 Values Now  
\$1.90 To \$5.25

Pajamas — Reefers — Gloves — Leather Goods—SUITS and OVERCOATS at same Reduction

## Parks-Chambers-Hardwick Company

Neckwear  
1/3 Off

High Shoes  
\$6.85 -- \$9.85

## Unauthorized Telephone Directory Covers

It has come to our attention that telephone subscribers and others in Atlanta are being solicited to take advertising space on unauthorized "Telephone Directory Covers." We understand that these covers, which are to be distributed free, are arranged to fit over the telephone directory.

The telephone directory is copyrighted and is the property of the Telephone Company.

Its front cover contains information necessary to the furnishing of service, particularly in emergencies when the fire department or police are required.

The color of the cover identifies the latest book.

Business concerns of Atlanta have purchased, in good faith, advertising space on the back cover.

Anything that hides the information on the front cover interferes with the service features of the directory, and anything that obscures the advertising on the back cover deprives the advertisers of what they have paid for.

This announcement is made so that those who are solicited by others than representatives of the Telephone Company for advertising on telephone directory covers may know that the use of such directory covers cannot be permitted by the Telephone Company.

G. C. BOWDEN, District Manager

"BELL SYSTEM"  
SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY  
One Policy, One System, Universal Service









• EDITED •  
by  
H.C. HAMILTON •

## Absences at School Keep Star Player From Court Squad

## Shakeup Among Cagers Expected When Jackets Give Battle Tonight To Veteran Team From North Carolina State.

**BY H. C. HAMILTON.**

Because of his scholastic standing, Douglas Wycoff, star four-letter athlete at Georgia Tech, will not be permitted to join the basketball squad, it was learned Thursday from Dr. J. B. Crenshaw. So many absences were marked against Wycoff at the start of the present term that he must make up these deficiencies before he can engage in any other sport. Examinations are required, Dr. Crenshaw stated, before he will be eligible.

# BASS, O'KEEFE FIVES DIVIDE COURT HONORS

The games that were postponed Wednesday by the O'Keefe and Bass basketball teams were played off on the auditorium court Thursday afternoon. The Bass girls' team won from the O'Keefe team 20 to 9, and the O'Keefe boys' team won from the Bass 34 to 27.

The Battle Rites outclassed its opponents. Misses Cassells, Bennett and Williamson were the best for the winners. Misses Battle and Mize did fine work for O'Keefe.

In the boys' game the playing was hard all the way through. Vismore played a fine game for O'Keefe as did

Player and George will start the game against the North Carolina State quintet.

George Rosser was injured in the game last week with Kentucky, but he returned to practice Wednesday afternoon with a broken nose. He will be in the game to come to night if absolutely necessary.

Wyoff has been practicing with the

The junior high schools will play off four games this afternoon. The Bass teams will meet Decatur at 3 o'clock at Decatur. O'Keefe teams will play the Joe Jackets this week, but ran afoul the faculty ruling and his case will be settled during the day by the faculty committee on absences. Wycoff's work during the practices has been

Brown teams on the Brown court at 3 o'clock.

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**Lineups and Summaries.**

BASS (11)	POS.	O'KEEFE (17)
Stanton (2)	.....rf.	Adams, V. (6)

North Carolina State will line up against the Lancers tonight with a

Numbers (2).....M.....	Whitfield (5)
Davis (2).....c.....	Davis (1)
Statham (5).....fg.....	Berry
Guthridge.....lg.....	Vismore (5)
Substitutions: Bass, Ferguson for	
Statham, Statham for Stayton, Perkerson	
for Guthridge, Guthridge for Perkerson	
O'Keefe: Sudderth for Berry, for Scoring field	
goals: Bass, 3; O'Keefe, 7. Fouls, Bass,	

Stanton two out of five; Chambers none out of one; Davis, two out of four; Statham, one out of two; Ferguson, none out of three. O'Keefe, Adams, none out of two; Whitfield, one out of one; Davis, one out of one; Vismore, one out of one. Referee, State.

O'KEEFE G. (9)	POS.	BASS G. (20)
Bertie (7)	rf.	Carroll (3)

The Tech Freshmen won Thursday from Alabama State Normal 37 to 17.

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# MONTE CARLO

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## SYNOPSIS.

Sir Hargrave Wendover, country gentleman and financier, calls on a famous London physician for examination. The doctor tells him he cannot live for more than six or eight months. Wendover takes the blow standing, and decides to go on with his plans for the winter as though nothing had happened. He feels, however, an urge to give a lift to some poor fellow creature. His experiments on the people he comes in contact with until he finds one who is in need of help. This one proves to be a delicate looking man, a girl, Violet Martin, who serves him regularly. He offers her a member of her family, a variation of two months at his villa at Monte Carlo. Not having any family, Violet induces her fiancé, Robert, to pose as her brother, and come with her. Their host gives them a free rein in Monte Carlo and they enjoy themselves to the fullest extent.

Wendover's London cronies—the Rev. Philip Gorse, John Marston, his financial adviser, and Lord Pellingham—arrive at Monte Carlo. Wendover gives a supper party for his friends at the Carlton, and among his guests is the Prince of Wales, a great beauty, to whom he has paid marked attention. The prince is in love with Hargrave. While the party is in progress, Robert, who is not of it, creates a disturbance in another part of the cafe and is forcibly ejected.

The boy has evidently been drinking too much and he quarrels with his host, telling him that Violet is his fiancée and not his sister. Violet breaks her engagement with Robert, and early the next morning leaves Hargrave's villa, intending to return to London. Her host follows her, and brings her back, forgiving her for the deception practiced upon him.

Hargrave's financial rival and enemy, Andrea Trentino, arrives at Monte Carlo.

## INSTALLMENT XXXV.

### Superstition.

"That, indeed, may be the explanation," Hobson remarked, "because there is one thing, and only one thing, which is absolutely certain about this business: If I go down, he goes out. Bye-the-by, Sam, there is that other matter."

"The Jane's all right," was Hobson's emphatic declaration. "I'll answer for it that Wendover hasn't been once to her villa, nor any other man, so far as I can make out."

Trentino nodded thoughtfully, but in his nod there was a suggestion of a scowl.

"All the same," he said, "there is something about this man Wendover which I do not like. He is too successful. He has gifts—without a doubt he has gifts. It was the first time for many years that madam has not been on the quay to meet me. She speaks, too, of Wendover as though he were some sort of god. He takes the fancy, this man. It was I who sent her to him. Perhaps my vanity was greater than my wisdom. That I shall find out."

"She's all right so far," Hobson persisted. "It was the softest job I ever had to keep her shadowed. She spends most of every morning painting in the woods, the afternoon in the Sporting club and generally dines alone in her villa, and reads in the evenings."

Trentino listened meditatively, but made no further sign of satisfaction. He waved his hand toward the door. "You had better resume your place as my secretary," he said. "I prefer you to be near me, and it will shelter you from suspicion. Hire or buy a typewriter and come back this afternoon."

The visitor took his leave, and Trentino, after a few minutes' reflection, descended to the hall of the hotel. He was welcomed everywhere by waiter, maitre d'hotel, and the staff generally with enthusiastic courtesy. He was a regular patron of reputedly great wealth, whose liberality could be relied upon. He stopped to shake hands with several acquaintances, and afterward took the underground passage to the casino and secured his carter of admission. He had no intention of playing, but he wandered for a moment into the Salles Privées and stood watching the numbers at the nearest roulette table. The gambler's instinct in him asserted itself. He changed a mille note into plaques, and handed some of them to the chef.

"The maximum on twenty-nine," he directed.

He watched the ball during the spin with expressionless face. A maximum stake on a number was so rare an event at a somewhat dull table that every one was interested, and at the croupier's monotonous announcement of "Rien ne va plus" even those whose stake was nominal leaned over anxiously to watch the ball. It hovered for a moment over the twenty-nine, half fell, and then, at the last second, seemed to be diverted in some curious way, and tumbled into the seven. Trentino selected another handful of plaques, and passed them to the croupier.

"The maximum on seventeen," he directed.

Again the ball went on its course. This time it did not hesitate, fell into its place, and remained there. "Vingt-neuf, noir, impair et passe." Trentino brushed the cigarette ash from his coat as he turned away. He was full of the depression of the superstitious man.

"Decidedly," he murmured to himself as he passed through the exit.

unconscious of the salutations of its guardians, "the luck is against me." The crowd at the sporting club was greater that night than usual. Hargrave, making his way to the seat he usually occupied at the high chemin de fer table—a seat zealously kept for him—had to pass through a little crowd of eager spectators on the outside of the velvet rope. Violet, her eyes already lit with excitement, sank into the chair a little way behind which was immediately tendered to her by the obsequious attendant.

"This is most exciting," she whispered. "It is so good of you to bring me. I have always longed to see some really big gambling, and I can never get near enough when I am alone." Hargrave glanced around the table. His eyes lingered for a moment upon Trentino, who sat almost opposite. He bowed to the marchesa, his neighbor, courteously.

He handed a little packet of 50 milles to the changeur, and received some huge plaques. The bank was at the top end of the table, and Hargrave devoted himself for a minute or two to explaining the game to his companion. Presently the shoe arrived at Trentino, who deliberately counted out some plaques and thrust them into the middle.

"Une banque de vingt milles francs," the croupier announced. "Qui fait le banque?"

"The man on Trentino's right touched the table lightly with his forefinger. He took no card. Trentino, with immovable face, displayed a nine. Again the croupier's parrotlike announcement. The same man followed and lost. There was a little buzz after the croupier's next announcement.

"Qui fait le banque? Si le banque n'est pas fait, faites vos jeux."

An American banker a little way down the table extended his hand for the cards. He drew one—a four. Trentino turned his up—a five—drew again—a three, and won the coup.

The croupier's announcement this time was followed by a moment's silence. People round the table were busy staking. Hargrave looked across to find Trentino regarding him fixedly as though he recognized the commencement of their duel. Both were, in their way, of the better type of gambler. The Argentine's expression was that of a sphinx. His small, white hands, which toyed with the box, were as steady as a rock. Hargrave, if he lacked the other's almost flamboyant insouciance, was, nevertheless, in his way, as emotionless.

"Banque," he announced.

The silence was broken. Opposite, Trentino seemed for a moment to consider the matter. Finally, with the slightest of bows toward Hargrave, he gave him two cards, and drew two himself. Hargrave glanced at him with immovable face. He held two kings.

"Carte," he demanded.

Trentino threw upon the table a knave and a two. The card which he passed to Hargrave was a three. He himself drew an eight.

"Baccarat," the croupier announced, commencing his task of counting the money.

"You won!" Violet whispered under her breath.

The game proceeded with varying fortunes. Hargrave's bank ran only twice, broken by a lady gambler a few paces away. Again it reached Trentino. He started it, as before, with twenty milles, and won the first two coups. Hargrave had been whispering to Violet and had been temporarily inattentive. At the sound of the croupier's voice, however, he turned his head.

"Banque," he challenged.

Once more the eyes of two men met. The marchesa watched them eagerly. The first shadow of indecision stole into Trentino's face. He distinctly hesitated. Then, with a little shrug of the shoulders, he leaned back in his chair.

"La main passe," he announced.

"What does this mean?" Violet whispered.

"It means," Hargrave explained, "that the gentleman opposite declines my challenge. He contents himself with what he has won already."

(Continued Tomorrow.)

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**They Got the Point.**

A judge was pointing out to his court that a witness was not necessarily to be regarded as untruthful because he altered a statement he had previously made.

"For instance," he said, "when I entered this court today I could have sworn that I had my watch in my pocket. But then I remembered I had left it in the bathroom at home."

When the judge reached home his wife said:

"Why all this bother about your watch—sending four or five men for it?"

"Good heavens," said the judge, "what did you do?"

"I gave it to the first one who came—he knew just where it was."—From Everybody's Magazine for January.

## THE GUMPS—THE BROTHER FROM THE WEST



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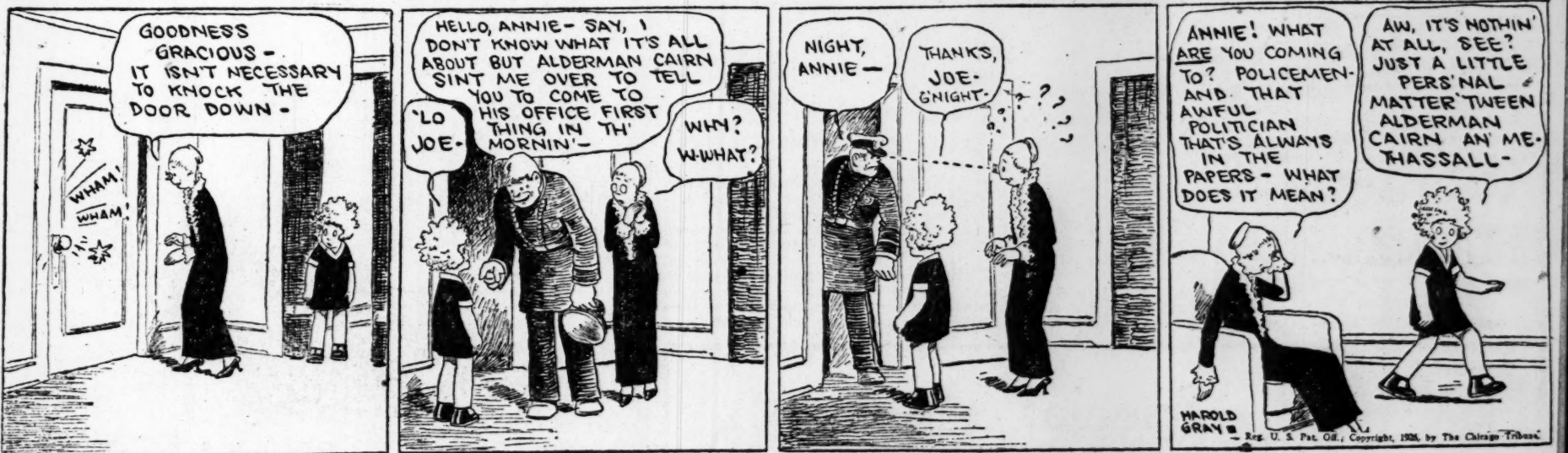
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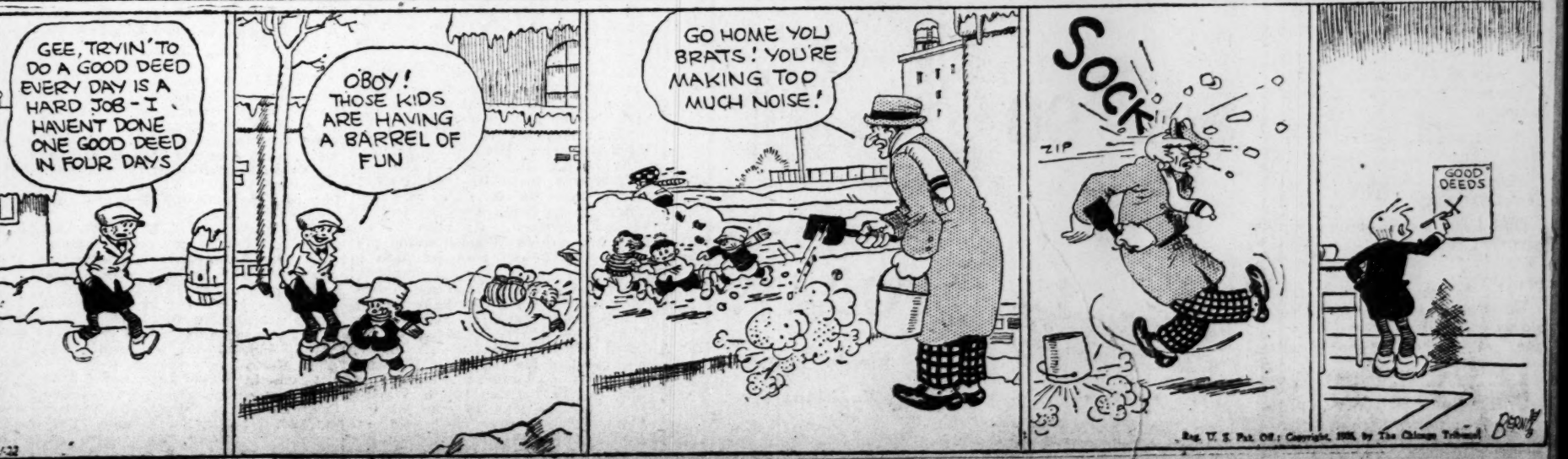


## Aunt Het



## SMITTY—

### Score One!





## Valentine Ball at Driving Club To Be Brilliant Event of Feb. 12

The annual Valentine ball will be given this year at the Piedmont Driving Club Friday evening, February 12 at 8:30 o'clock, the occasion to assemble a large number of visitors and members of this well-known social club.

The elaborate decorations will be suggestive and appropriate of the valentine season, with many exquisite imported favors given as souvenirs of this social event which comes as a brilliant climax to the pre-Lenten social season each year.

Dr. Leroy Childs is president of the Piedmont Driving Club, and the other officers include A. J. Orme, vice president, and the board of directors includes Hal Hentz, Charles Rawson, Wickliffe Goldsmith, Lowry Arnold and Jackson Dick.

### Every Saturday Club To Meet.

The Every Saturday club will meet Thursday, January 22, at Mrs. J. J. Gonzales at 12 o'clock in her apartment at 88 Ponce de Leon avenue.

### Ten-Two Club Is Honored.

Mrs. N. E. Russell entertained the Ten-Two club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Southland drive, the occasion honoring Mrs. A. B. Hilley, a former member of the club. There were many features of entertainment during the afternoon. A beautiful gift was presented Mrs. Hilley by Mrs. Paul McDowell from the club.

Those present were Mrs. Paul McDowell, Mrs. J. Sid Tiller, Mrs. W. E. Vandenberg, Mrs. Allen Tison, Mrs. T. P. White, Mrs. Cliff Harris, Mrs. W. M. Pharr, Mrs. Ivy Green, Mrs. A. B. Hilley and Mrs. Russell.

### Prayer Service for Foreign Missionaries.

The Edgewood Baptist W. M. U. held an all-day prayer service recently at the church. Several readings were given on the work the missionaries are doing in foreign fields.

Special prayers were offered for missionaries in foreign countries. Mrs. A. G. Sullivan gave an interesting talk. Luncheon was served at noon and was enjoyed by all.

### Mrs. Brandon Honors Miss Frances Arnold.

Mrs. Morris Brandon was hostess Thursday at an elaborate luncheon party at the Piedmont Driving Club, the occasion honoring Miss Frances Arnold, whose marriage to Hugh Inman Richardson will be an event of January 30.

In the center of the beautifully appointed table was a silver basket filled with pink roses, narcissi and hyacinths. Surrounding this were four small baskets of the same flowers, alternating with silver candlesticks holding unshaded blue tapers. The guests included Miss Arnold, Miss Virginia Campbell, Miss Isabel Johnston, Miss Martha Boynton, Miss Mary Sadler, Miss Jennie Robinson, Miss Harriett Shedd, Miss Ida Sadler, Miss Mary Middleton, Miss Mary Rhorer, Miss Jennie Holcomb, Miss Jeanette Bailey, Miss Bessie White, Miss Edith Lee, Mrs. Frank Owens, Mrs. Clarke Howell, Jr., Mrs. Hugh T. Inman, Mrs. Robert Foreman, Jr., Mrs. Eugene McNeil, Mrs. Mann Parker, Mrs. Marion Truitt, Mrs. DeSales Harrison, Mrs. Edmund Burke, Mrs. Joseph Ozburn, Mrs. Robert Pagan, Mrs. Richard Johnston, Mrs. Hollins Randolph, Mrs. Reuben Arnold.

### Cabaret Dinner-Dance Honors Delegates.

The ladies who accompanied their husbands to Atlanta to attend the convention of the National Sand and Gravel association, have been the recipients of many social attentions during their visit at the Atlanta Hotel. They were guests at a large cabaret dinner-dance at the Georgia ball room of the Biltmore hotel Wednesday evening by the social entertainment committee. A vaudeville program was rendered during dinner. The ballroom was elaborately decorated for this occasion and lovely favors were placed at the plate of each guest. An orchestra played for dancing until midnight. Two hundred guests were present. Thursday the ladies were given a luncheon at the Woman's club at 1 o'clock. Covers were placed for 30 visitors. The guests were received by Mrs. Norman Sharp and Mrs. Victor Kriegerhaber.

### Joe Brown P.-T. A. Honors Faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. Heidecker, of the faculty of the Joe Brown school, who were recently married were honored guests at the meeting of parent-teacher association held on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Heidecker were presented with a handsome mirror as a token of the esteem in which they are held by their associate teachers and parents of the children in the school. Mrs. W. L. McCalley, Jr., made the presentation speech, which was in the form of an original poem.

The address of the evening was made by Professor Willis Sutton. Miss Bertha Banks, a pupil of Joe Brown, furnished the musical program.

After the opening prayer the parent-teacher song was given, the usual singing contest being between the fathers and mothers. W. L. McCalley led the fathers and Miss Nay

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McLaughlin, of the faculty, led the mothers. This feature is always the occasion of much merriment at the Joe Brown Parent-Teacher meetings. Splendid reports were turned in by the chairmen of the standing committees.

### Service Star Legion Will Raise Funds.

The National Service Star Legion, which recently convened in Atlanta, planned a campaign which, if heartily accepted by the chapters and effectively worked will eliminate all other calls for funds for education, relief and memorials for the entire year.

Each state division at the convention pledged a "mile" of dimes, expecting each individual member to contribute two "feet" of dimes, a "foot" amounting to \$1.70—a total of \$3.40. Mrs. Samuel Dews Jones, founder and honorary life president of the Georgia division of the Service Star Legion, and Mrs. W. F. Melton, state president, pledged Georgia's quota.

According to Mrs. Melton's statement, there are two reasons why the Georgia division is anxious to raise its "mile": first, our boys and the Service Star Legion need it; second, the national organization has offered a prize to the state which is first to raise this amount.

"We cannot excuse ourselves," she said, "on the ground that we have so many calls from other organizations; for our boys gave up everything for us and we can do no less than help make life pleasant or endurable for them."

"The Service Star Legion confidently expects to receive each member's two 'feet' of dimes and will welcome contributions from those who are not members."

Contributions may be sent to Mrs. W. A. Rucker, state treasurer, Elberton, Ga.; Mrs. Samuel Dews Jones, 2711 Peachtree road, Atlanta; or Mrs. W. F. Melton, Emory university.

### Frank Wincoff Given Victory.

The eighth birthday of Frank Wincoff was marked by a beautiful party given at his home on Peachtree road. A valentine motif was carried throughout the decorations.

Games were played, and prizes were awarded for pinning the heart on the valentine. The girls' prize was a bottle of perfume and the boys' prize was a flashlight.

In the dining room the table had as its central decoration a plateau of excitement. At one end of the table was a birthday cake with eight red burning tapers and the candles and mints were in red.

### Mr. and Mrs. Miller To Honor D. T. D'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Miller will entertain the members of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity of Emory university with a Founder's day reception.

This interesting affair will be given Friday evening, February 26, at Druid Hills Golf club and is to assemble several hundred members of Atlanta's second largest fraternity. Members of the chapter who will be the honor guests are: Jack Cowart, Walker Curtis, Richard Dell, Julia Dell, Albert Dornbusch, Gibson Ezell, Louis Gilbert, George Hill, Arthur Holt, William Howell, Earl Hill, Alton Johnson, Ralph Jones, Oliver Jenkins, Ellis Jones, George Malone, William Mitchell, Jack Malone, Karl Sessions, Oscar Tigner, Ralph Wade and David Wyant.

The pledges to share honors with the chapter are: John Bell, Alexander Boone, William Carter, "Red" Fisher, William Horton, Norman Hatcher, Clarence Powers, Steve Tate and Harold White.

### Miss Farmer's Pupils Give Piano Recital.

The second public piano recital for the season will be given by students from the first and second grade classes of Miss Anna Mae Farmer, Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in Wesley Memorial auditorium, assisted by Miss Mary Alice Shelton, violinist, pupil of Miss Mary Douglas. Accompanist, Miss Mary Louise Farham, pupil of Miss Farmer.

A talented little girl of six years age, Miss Nell Echols, will play two solos and one duet from memory. She has made exceptional progress as her total period of piano study covers only 15 half hour lessons. Patrons, friends and those interested in music are cordially invited to attend.

### Miss Thornton Is Honored at Luncheon.

On Tuesday, January 19, Miss Beverly Whitcroft, executive secretary of the Georgia library commission, entertained at the home of her aunt, Mrs. William D. Thomson. "White Oaks," on North Decatur road, at luncheon and bridge, complimenting Miss Ella Mae Thornton, recently appointed state librarian.

The guests were seated in the dining room at a beautifully appointed table, carrying out a color scheme of pink and yellow. The table was overlaid with a filet cloth over pale yellow satin and had for its center piece a basket of pink and yellow roses tied with pink tulle. Tall, shaded candles of yellow surrounded the basket and beautiful favors and place cards carried out the color scheme.

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## Col. and Mrs. Dashiell Give Bridge Supper at Home "Maplewood"

Colonel and Mrs. William R. Dashiell entertained at a bridge supper Thursday evening at their home "Maplewood" on Peachtree road, the guests included a group of army and civilian friends.

Supper was served at 7 o'clock at individual tables adorned by vases of lovely spring flowers. This same variety of pretty blossoms was used in the decoration of the reception rooms where the game was played.

Mrs. Dashiell received her friends wearing a handsome gown of black chiffon velvet.

The invited guests included General and Mrs. LeRoy Eltinge, Colonel and Mrs. George F. Baltzell, Colonel and Mrs. T. W. Darrah, Colonel and Mrs. E. E. Haskell, Mrs. Aswald, Mrs. George Carrington, Colonel and Mrs. Hugh A. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Louis Merriam, Major and Mrs. E. G. Huber, Colonel, Paul Giddings, Major and Mrs. T. M. Chase, Major and Mrs. A. T. Colley, Major and Mrs. McGehee.

ried out the tones of pink at the plates.

Luncheon was served, after which the guests assembled in the living room and bridge was enjoyed during the afternoon. Those invited to honor Miss Ruth Blair, Miss Rhoda Kaufman, Miss Mary Nagle, Miss Tommie Barker, Miss Irene Holloway, Miss Helen Muse and Mrs. Oliver Howard. Miss Wheatcroft was assisted in receiving and entertaining by her aunt, Mrs. Thomson.

### Cold Weather Dinner At East Lake School.

A typical cold weather dinner will be served Friday at 6:30 o'clock at East Lake school by the first grade mothers. The menu, planned to contain the calories necessary to a mid-winter meal, will consist of roast pork or wieners, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut, applesauce, pickles and rolls. As a variation of the menu, these items, baked beans and salad will be served. Coffee, milk, pie and cake will also be obtainable. The proceeds of this dinner are to go to the P. T. A. and a large attendance is urged. A program of music and other features of entertainment has been arranged by the committee, which consists of Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Traylor and Mrs. E. W. Webb.

### Social News From Marietta.

The young society contingent enjoyed a lovely affair on Saturday evening, when Mrs. Horace Field entertained at a dance at the Marietta Golf club, in honor of the birthday of her daughter, Miss Rosamond Field.

Mrs. Campbell Wallace, Jr., was hostess at a cocktail luncheon on Tuesday at her home on Church street, in compliment to Mrs. Fritz Jones, Jr., of Atlanta.

L. M. Blair entertained at a luncheon on Tuesday at her home on Cherokee street, in honor of Mrs. Carson Sewell and Mrs. Alfred Bavi, Jr., of Atlanta, and Mrs. Arthur Crow.

Mrs. Len C. Baldwin, Mrs. W. E. Roberts, Mrs. P. D. Reese and Miss Glenn Hancock went down Tuesday to the meeting of the Fine Arts club. Miss Ida Roberts entertained at bridge on Thursday afternoon at her home on Kennesaw avenue.

Mrs. W. E. Benson and Mrs. W. L. Harris attended the meeting of the Drama League at the Woman's club on Tuesday, and heard the reading "The Show" by Mrs. Frances Goodrich, of the faculty of Agnes Scott college. George D. Anderson, Jr., left Tuesday for Union Point, Ga., to attend the Bryan-McCallough wedding.

Mrs. D. C. McIntosh is visiting in Birmingham, Ala.

Misses Charlotte Law, Mary Ellen Law and Eliza Holmes attended the concert of the Atlanta Symphony orchestra at Loew's Grand theater on Sunday and heard Rosita Renard.

Mrs. J. M. Broughton, of Raleigh, N. C., is the guest of Mrs. George Roberts on Kennesaw avenue.

Mrs. J. C. Webb, of Inman Park, spent a few days this week with Mrs. Kemper Smith on Whitlock avenue.

**West End Woman's Club To Give Tea.**  
The hospital committee of the West End Woman's club, Mrs. Julius Spier, chairman, announces a silver tea to be given at the clubhouse this Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The proceeds to be used to further the work of this department in the club.

An attractive and varied program has been arranged. Jacquelin Gullatt will give an entertaining drama; Little Arnold, Thompson will appear in a reading; Henry Mullins will sing two numbers, with Miss Marion Hope, a well-known musician, as accompanist. Miss Ann Bowie and Miss Mary Conant will give readings.

Everyone is invited to attend.

**Mrs. Askew Will Address Meeting.**  
The third of a series of lessons on "Stewardship" will be presented by Mrs. S. H. Askew Friday afternoon, January 22, at 3 o'clock, at the First Presbyterian church.

These lessons are being sponsored by the woman's auxiliary of the church and every member of the auxiliary is cordially invited and urged to attend.

**Daughters of America Hold Meeting.**  
The Daughters of America met Monday night, January 18, at the Red Men's wigwag, 88 Central avenue, for the purpose of instituting the newly organized council, which will be known as Prosperity council, No. 28.

Mrs. Myrtle Ingram, state vice council, and Mrs. Corinne Hucks, state secretary, were assisted in the work by the delegates from the ship council, No. 6. A large number of visiting members were present, also several state officers.

Prosperity council, No. 28, will continue to meet in the wigwag on the first and third Monday nights of each month.

The officers are: Junior past councilor, Mrs. Lena Beddingfield; associate junior past councilor, Mrs. Lily Burnett; councilor, Mrs. William A. Gardner; associate councilor, Mrs. Mary E. James; vice councilor, Mrs. Eula Jones; associate vice councilor, Mrs. Mary A. Jordan; conductor, Mrs. Susie Montgomery; warden, Mrs. Beatrice Duffy; recording secretary, Miss Emma Kelly; assistant recording secretary, Mrs. George Holder; financial secretary, Mrs. Lorna Kimball; assistant financial secretary, Mrs. Nell Stephens; treasurer, Miss Annie Pardee; inside sentinel, Mrs. Bernice Hughes, outside sentinel, Mrs. Nettie Taylor; trustees, Dr. Iversen C. Cass, Mrs. Lucy Brook and Dr. William A. Gardner.

## DAILY CALENDAR OF SOCIAL EVENTS

Mrs. H. J. Lucking will entertain at an informal tea this afternoon at her quarters at Camp Jessup, the occasion assembling a coterie of friends to meet Miss Corinne Moore, of Ada, Okla., who is visiting her brother, Lieutenant M. M. Moore.

Mrs. John S. Cohen, Jr., of New York, will be complimented today by her mother, Mrs. John S. Cohen, with an informal luncheon at her home on Peachtree street.

Mrs. Charles Brotherton will entertain at a tea this afternoon, complimenting Mrs. Irving Simons.

There will be a dance at which the members of the Cotillon club of Georgia Tech will entertain the Druid Hills Golf club this evening.

A benefit musical will be given at the home of Mrs. Asa Candler, Jr., on Briarcliff road, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Jennie Hodgson will entertain at luncheon at the Piedmont Driving club in compliment to Miss Frances Arnold, a bride-elect.

Mrs. Dudley Cowles will entertain at luncheon at the Piedmont Driving club, honoring Mrs. Clayton Cooley, of Minneapolis, the guest of Mrs. George Crandall.

Military Bridge club at the Officers' club at Fort McPherson at 8 o'clock.

A party given for the benefit of Kirkwood chapter No. 223 as a birthday offering for the Masonic Orphans' home at Macon, will be held at the home of Mrs. Erwin Brown, 248 Kirkwood road, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Robin Adair will entertain the Shakespeare class at her home, 723 Ponce de Leon avenue, at 10:30 o'clock.

All parents of children in the primary department of Druid Hills Methodist Sunday school are invited to the party in the primary this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Misses Marion and Kate Smith will entertain this afternoon at a theater party to a number of the younger set.

## Miss Paden Weds Mr. Duckworth At Lovely Church Ceremony

The wedding of Miss Ruth Louise Paden and Mr. John Duckworth was solemnized Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Kirkwood Baptist church in the presence of a large assemblage of friends. Rev. J. L. Jackson officiating.

The church was artistically decorated with banks of palms and ferns, among which were hung white ribbons. This formed an effective background for the bride and groom, who were escorted by the bride's father, Mr. John Paden, and a large attendance was present. A program of music and other features of entertainment has been arranged by the committee, which consists of Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Traylor and Mrs. E. W. Webb.

Proceeding the ceremony, Miss Lole Latham gave several musical selections with violin obligato by Miss Elizabeth Jackson and Claude Virginia. Clarence Aldridge sang "Because" and "At Dawning."

**Bridal Party.**  
The bridal party entered to the strains of "Lohengrin" and "To a Wild Rose" was softly played during the ceremony. First the groomsmen, W. H. Baker and Dean S. Paden, brother of the bride, came down the aisle together, followed by Miss Iverson Dews and J. A. Dunaway and Miss Mary Blanche Virginia. W. S. Sheller, Miss Dews and Miss Virginia wore attractive pink georgette gowns and carried arm bouquets of pink roses. The matron of honor, Mrs. Charles Albert Phillips, of St. Petersburg, Fla., preceded the bride and wore white chiffon elaborately studded with rhinestones and carried an arm bouquet of Ophelia roses.

The bride entered with her father, who gave her in marriage, and was met at the altar by the groom, who with his best man his brother, V. Duckworth, of Valdosta.

The bride was lovely in a spring model of midnight-blue crepe roman with a V-neckline, a long train and cut steel ornaments. Her hat of bois de rose with French flowers in pastel shades blended beautifully with her costume. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses and orchids showered with lilies of the valley.

The mother of the bride wore black satin with corsage of pink roses and parma violets.

**Prominent Families.**  
Mrs. Duckworth is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Paden, pioneer citizens of Atlanta. Her brothers are Carter N. Paden and Dean S. Paden. On her maternal side Mrs. Duckworth is descended from the Carters and Northens of Virginia. Her maternal grandfather was Dr. Josiah Anthony Carter, eminent physician of early Atlanta days. Her great-grandfather was ex-Governor William Northen and ex-Governor Richard B. Hubbard of Texas.

On her paternal side Mrs. Duckworth is descended from the Padens of South Carolina, influential in state affairs since pre-Revolutionary days. Mrs. Duckworth received her education at Agnes Scott college and Shorter college.

Mr. Duckworth is the son of Mrs. Laura Duckworth, of Townsend, of Blairsville and is a descendant of the Duckworths of North Carolina. He is one of the leading young attorneys of the city, being connected with the firm of McElreath & Scott. He is a graduate of Young Harris college and of the Lamar School of Law, Emory university. He is prominent in Masonic circles, a member of

the Phi Delta Phi honorary legal fraternity and of the Atlanta Lawyers' club.

Mr. and Mrs. Duckworth will spend their honeymoon motoring through Florida and on their return will be at home with the bride's parents.

**Fred Chapin Will Entertain at Party.**  
Fred Chapin will entertain at a dancing party Saturday evening, January 23, at 636 North Boulevard in honor of the marriage of Miss Kathleen Hall and John B. Scarratt, Jr.

Among the guests will be Miss Alice Ormond, Miss Mary Anderson, Miss Martha Floyd, Miss Marion Hill, Miss Annie McDonald, Miss Lois Madison, Miss Margaret McDonald, Miss Frances Denning, Miss Lorraine Long, Fred Chapin, Harold Pierce, Bob Nelson, Tommy Lake, Robert Hearn, Jerry Barne, Donald Wells, Anthony D'Argo and George Butler.

**Mrs. Fisher Honors Sister at Reception.**  
Mrs. Thomas D. Fisher entertained recently at her home on Los Angeles avenue, honoring her sister, Mrs. Jack Fisher, of Detroit, with a reception. Tea was served from a beautifully appointed table. The house was artistically decorated with potted plants and narcissi. A large number of friends called during the tea hour to meet Mrs. Fisher.

**Mrs. Little Honors Macon Visitors.**  
Mrs. John Dozier Little entertained at luncheon Thursday at her home in the Biltmore apartments in compliment to Miss Martina Burke and the hostess' brother, Sam Dunlap, of Macon, who were among the prominent visitors attending the brilliant debut ball of Miss Isabel Johnston Wednesday evening.

Covers were placed for ten friends. Miss Burke will remain in the city for several days as the guest of Mrs. Fred McDougall at her home on Andrews drive.

**Shakespeare Club To Hold Meeting.**  
The Shakespeare club will hold its meeting with Mrs. R. B. Adair, Sr., on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock. The play "Othello" is the one in which the examination of the club will be given, followed by a social hour. Mrs. S. L. Taylor is president of the club.

**Mrs. O'Neil Entertains Woodmen Circle.**  
Mrs. Macy O'Neil entertained for Maple Grove Supreme Forest, Woodmen circle telephone committee, for the year of 1926 at her home on West Tenth street. The house was decorated in the W. C. colors, used with evergreens of the season. The morning hours were spent in sewing and at 1 o'clock a plate lunch was served. A musical program was enjoyed in the afternoon.

## Orpheus Music Club Awards Certificates

The January meeting of the Orpheus Music club will be held in the studio of Miss Anna Mae Farmer, organizer and director of the club, Friday evening. A report of each member on what they have learned on the life and works of Brahms will be heard. Two of the Brahms waltzes will be played by Roland Thomson, to give an example of the style and character of the writings of this great composer. A special feature in the way of entertainment will be provided by three of the members, Howard Bandy, William Crowe and Sam Hughes. Some of the students have made unusual efforts to practice the quality of the past music, perseverance, which in practical application means diligent, regular and painstaking practice.

Of particular note is the work of one of the youngest students, Reginald Ward, who at this meeting will tell of his personal method to carry out perseverance in his daily practice. About 20 or more new students joined the club in September and some of these have made good in their work and will be presented with certificates Friday night. Those receiving first grade certificates are: Misses Leaborn Pair, Evelyn Mays, Annis Warner, Geraldine Robertson, Alice Taylor, Frances Kohler, Dorothy McDonald, Vadie Smith, Junonia Pledger, Lorene Rossier, Bertha Day, Martha Herrin and Reginald Ward. Second grade certificate will be given to Hilda Burnett, third grade certificate to Howard Bandy and fourth grade certificate to Miss Muriel Anclie and Miss Ocie Matthews.

Refreshments will be in charge of Miss Inez Pergantis and Miss Rosalind Wilhoit.

### Wm. Farrell Given Birthday Party.

William Farrell entertained the Delta Phi Sigma fraternity in one of the most interesting affairs of the week by a birthday celebration at his home on Lullwater road.

This affair was given at the home of Mr. Farrell's parents in honor of his 28th birthday. It was a buffet supper and was delightfully informal. Mr. Farrell was presented with a beautiful gold watch of 17 jewels.

The members of the fraternity present were: Charles Anderson, Frank Corrigan, Louis Corrigan, John Campbell, Tom Clarke, Clyde Dudley, William Farrell, Lee Hutcheson, Tom Holland, John Hines, Edward Inman, John Lambert, Robert Martin, Robert Murray, Joe McDonough, J. B. Reynolds, Chip Roberts, Addison Smith, Graves Smith, Edward Smith, Duncan Shepard, Dick Voorhis, Max Wil-

liams, Roland Williams, Harold Williams and Logan Williamson.

Short and interesting talks were given by some of the alumni.

### Mrs. Cooper Returns From Convention.

The Edgewood Baptist T. E. L. class sent its president, Mrs. Olivia Cooper, as delegate to the southwide Baptist organized class conference which was held in Birmingham, Ala., January 12-14.

Mrs. Cooper gave the class an interesting account of the work being done in organized classes and related many plans for efficient Sunday school organization.

### Mrs. Babcock Is Given Cordial Welcome.

Mrs. W. Wayne Babcock, of Philadelphia, who came down to attend the debut reception of Miss Isabel Johnston at the Piedmont Driving club on Wednesday evening, is receiving a cordial welcome from her many friends made during the world war when her distinguished husband, Colonel W. W. Babcock, was chief surgeon at the army hospital at Fort McPherson.

Colonel and Mrs. Babcock lived at Fort McPherson for several months, returning to Philadelphia after the armistice. Mrs. Babcock will spend several days at the Biltmore.

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# SLAMS AND SALAMS

By Louise Dooly

OUR keenest wonder, not to say envy, has always gone out to those members of our sex who can walk into strange stores in strange towns, or in their own towns, and get bogus checks cashed.

When we read a story, like one recently in the news, about a girl who went from her small country town to a large city, which, according to its own boast, is the extreme of sophistication; or, in its own words, is a check book that represented nothing in the bank, she bought all the clothes she wanted and then a twenty-five thousand dollar house and all the furnishings for it, before any of the dealers grew suspicious, when we hear about a thing like that, our eyeballs hang out on our cheeks in admiration.

The reason we marvel is this: it has so often happened to us in the town in which we were born and lived all our life, that when we sought to pay for a purchase with a check, where most of the store's personnel were not nearly as familiar with the town and its people as we were, we'd be looked up and down, and every demand made of us except a finger print and a photograph before our check was O. K'ed.

In all due modesty, we think we can claim an honest face. The only way we can figure out the suspicion our type arouses is that the masculine world has always been most easily and completely subjected to and at the mercy of the type of woman with the baby blue stare. Men always take that to mean truth and innocence.

Of course, other women all know that it is the most guileful type there is.

But you can't tell any man that. It's one of the things he has got to learn through his own experience.

The only trouble is, it's pretty hard on us when we want a perfectly good check cashed, to arrive at the credit desk just when the office has found that the banks have never heard of the baby blue innocent whose checks the credit man has just cashed.

You'd think then that a woman with green eyes would, for a while at least, have everything all her own way. But she doesn't. We know. The credit man, with all the unreasonableness of his sex, then chooses all women's heads with that of baby blue eyes and cashes nobody's checks.

Until the next baby blue eyes smile fatuously into his.

Something Good in the Worst.

THE national woman's party possibly has one redeeming trait.

There is the fight it is making now, for instance, for "equal rights" for women in industry, which, if such legislation were secured, would mean the nullification of all the hard-won special legislation in many states for the protection of women in industry as to length of the work day and night work.

This fight of the woman's party, it is obvious, will push the really thinking and constructive groups of women working for women's welfare and the future of the race, to more intense, and therefore in all probability, more productive effort.

There is nothing like an opposition to drag people, men or women, out of indifference or over-confidence.

The visit of the woman's party delegation on Monday, therefore, to President Coolidge to urge his support of their proposed "equalization" amendment to the constitution, will doubtless put a greater pep into the conference being held this week in Washington under the auspices of the woman's bureau of the U. S. department of labor to consider the competition between men and women in industry, and this very matter of threats to protective legislation for women in industry.

A Happy Analogy. Just as the bootlegger is the warmest friend of prohibition, so the type of employer who would exploit woman labor, that is, would hold down the wage of the men in his employ by the competition of women, is said to form one of the groups now most ardently backing the national woman's party in its equalization fight.

The most important of the organized groups representing the constructive thought of the women of the country, like the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the National Women's Trade Union league, etc., are cooperating in the conference, and what they agree upon our national legislators will recognize as the dominant opinion of thinking women, of the safe and sane.

A Convenient Affliction. OUR national legislators are sometimes very slow in answering when even the conservative women of the nation ask for laws that these women have weighed and considered and found good for the general welfare.

But deaf as our senators and congressmen often appear to be, they have always proved in the long run that all the time they are hearing was the acute enough to distinguish between the womanly tones of unselfish truth and the falsetto of destructive radicalism.

They're All Peter Pans. WERE not saying anything new when we remark that there is a lot of the boy in every grown man.

We thought of the "tough" stage every male youngster has to go through with when we read of the attitude of New York city's male aldermen when the other alderwoman among them met the other day with her first defeat on the part of her colleagues.

Afterwards the grown up boys loitered outside and shook their heads in sympathy for the lady politician.

"It's a tough row for her hoe," remarked one.

"It's no place for a lady," remarked another.

Just a grown-up form of the boy feeling—"I'm just so tough I'm most scared of myself."

Making It Come True? THEN, apropos of sex in politics—because there still is—there is Alice Chittenden, who was head of the New York state association which once worked as hard to keep women from obtaining suffrage as the suffragists worked to get it, and who is now president of the Woman's National Republican club.

Back in the days when she was fighting the suffrage movement, she even went so far as to say that the men would "ruin the day" they gave the women the vote.

Evidence pointing to the probability that in becoming head of a strong political group of women, she is going to be consistent in at least one direction. The women she leads will no doubt help the men in politics rue the day.

One of Their Mysteries. ISN'T it funny? The women with bobbed hair try to dress it to look like it was long. And the women with long hair coil theirs to look bobbed.

Mrs. Goetz Honored At Biltmore Luncheon. Mrs. J. C. Anderson was hostess at an elegantly appointed luncheon Thursday at the Atlanta Biltmore hotel, in honor of Mrs. Edith Goetz of Chattanooga. A large bowl of pink tulips, jonquils and pink roses was the central decoration of the table. The honor guest was presented with a shoulder corsage of white orchids and valley lilies. The other guests received shoulder corsages of pink roses. Invited to meet this charming visitor were Mrs. Jack Garfield, Mrs. C. M. Mount, Mrs. J. A. McGarity and Miss Louise Stanton.

Bluebird Division Will Entertain. The Bluebird division of the Young Women's Hebrew association will entertain at a ten Sunday afternoon in compliment to their mothers at the "Y" clubhouse on Washington street. After a brief business meeting in which members will demonstrate their knowledge in parliamentary law, they will present a very attractive program.

Mrs. Roger A. Wilson will give two readings and Mrs. Lessie McMichael will sing.

S. M. Inman Pre-School Circle. The pre-school circle No. 2 of the S. M. Inman school met with Mrs. Fred Bell on Greenwood avenue with 12 members present. Mrs. A. A. Hepp, the chairman, presided. Mrs. W. J. Gover, the program chairman, introduced Miss Lillian Alexander, city school nurse, the speaker of the afternoon, whose subject was "Nutrition and Teeth." After the business a social hour was enjoyed during which Mrs. Bell served a delicious salad course. The February meeting will be with Mrs. Julian Broyles on Jackson street.

Knights of St. Philip's Will Sponsor Dance. The Knights of St. Philip's Castle Nos. 1 and 2 will sponsor a dance Friday evening at 9 o'clock in St. Philip's parish house on Hunter street. The dance is for Knights only, with 75 cents admission charge, the proceeds to be placed in the treasury of the organization and be applied to charity work of the Knights of St. Philip's.

MRS. IDA A. ROGERS DIES AT PERRY HOME. Perry, Ga., January 21.—(Special.) Mrs. Ida A. Rogers died at her home on Washington street Sunday morning. The funeral services were held in the Methodist church Tuesday morning conducted by Rev. J. E. Barnhill, pastor. Mrs. Rogers was daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Carter, of Perry, and was 67 years old.

She is survived by her husband, S. D. Rogers, and two sons, Thomas Cater Rogers, of Perry, and S. Gordon Rogers, of Miami; one daughter, Miss Nell Rogers, of New York; three brothers, John J. Carter, of Florida; L. P. Carter and R. L. Carter, of Perry.

She was a member of the Methodist church from early childhood and was always a leader in all church work.

## Miss Poppenheim Indorsed For Honorary Office

Miss Louise Poppenheim, of South Carolina, was nominated for honorary vice president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, at the meeting of the executive board held in Washington, D. C. last week at national headquarters. Mrs. M. F. Jennings, president of the South Carolina Federation proposed Miss Poppenheim's name, which was seconded by Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, of Texas, and Mrs. Alonzo Richardson, director for Georgia, who paid glowing tributes to this brilliant woman because of her efficient record and outstanding service to the general federation, having served as director for South Carolina for four years. This is a distinct honor awarded a southerner, in fact, it is one of the greatest honors the federation confers upon a woman. Representatively, Mrs. Poppenheim's indorsement, which was universally and enthusiastically passed.

## Social Items

Mr. and Mrs. A. Zahner, of Topeka, Kan., who spent last winter in Atlanta, arrived Wednesday and will spend several months at the Atlanta-Biltmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacLethie, of New York, are at the Biltmore.

Mrs. Charles Gentry, of Greenville, S. C., is a guest at the Atlanta-Biltmore.

Miss Emily Dupont, of Wilmington, will arrive Friday to spend some time with Miss Jennie Hodgson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reiser, of Miami, are stopping at the Biltmore.

Mrs. Thomas J. Martin is ill at her residence on Williams Mill road.

Mrs. Frank Ward and young son, Frank, Jr., of Formwalt street, are visiting relatives in Macon.

Mrs. W. J. Neal, of Cartersville, Ga., who was ill in our city, is now convalescing at home.

C. F. Wyatt, of Mansfield, spent a few days in the city last week.

Mrs. W. M. Wallace, of Carrollton, was in Atlanta recently.

Mrs. Clayton Cooley, of Minneapolis is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Crandall, at her home, 1115 Peachtree.

Mrs. H. O. McMillan and children, of Minneapolis, Minn., will arrive today to spend the winter with Mrs. McMillan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Hinton Lopez, on Piedmont avenue.

Leonard Monk is in Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott Eddington, of Canton, Ohio, were in Atlanta the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus H. Blackstock will leave Friday for Miami, and then to Cuba. They will return three weeks later.

Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Fischer have returned from a three weeks' cruise of Cuba, Panama and the canal zone.

Mrs. A. N. Barnett and children have returned to their home in Asheville, N. C., and are at home for the present with Mrs. Barnett's sister, Mrs. T. B. Farrington, on Macon avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Barnett expect to begin the erection of their new home in Lakewood park at an early date.

Miss Laura Mays is convalescing at the Wesley Memorial hospital and is able to receive her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butters are spending two weeks in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reese have returned to Coral Gables, Fla., after a stay in Atlanta and a visit to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Allen and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smith will leave January 29 for New Orleans. They will sail through the Panama canal visit Cuba and will be away about three weeks.

Miss Irene Austin is in Savannah where she is visiting Mrs. Wilfred McNaught Knapp, and is being entertained at a series of lovely social affairs. Mrs. Knapp was formerly Miss Isabel Stevens of Atlanta. Miss Austin will visit her aunt, Gladys Hanson, a celebrated actress who is starring in "The Judge's Husband" in a prominent Philadelphia theater, after she concludes her stay in Savannah. Before returning to Atlanta, she will go to Short Hills, N. J., to be the guest of Mrs. Paul Colvyn, who was before her marriage Miss Aurelia Speer, of Atlanta.

## SIEGE OF MUMPS RETARDS HIGHWAY WORK IN CRISP

Cordele, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—Crisp county's \$400,000 highway paving program will be under way again within a week, this time south of the city of Cordele along the National highway. Chairman John S. Sheppard, of the county commission, states that mumps had invaded the road forces and practically tied up work. This is passing and the work will be taken up with renewed enthusiasm.

The five miles north of Cordele will soon be completed with the concrete or asphalt surface. A costly concrete bridge is now in course of construction over Gum Creek north of the city to take the place of the old structure which was too narrow for safe travel.

## J. A. REYNOLDS DIES AT HOME AT SILOAM

Greensboro, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—J. A. Reynolds, 68, a prominent farmer of Greene county, died at his home in Siloam Thursday morning, following a stroke of apoplexy on Wednesday night.

He is survived by his widow and two sons, W. M. Reynolds, Siloam; Deleon Reynolds, Greensboro; two daughters, Mrs. Clarence Copelan and Mrs. Harris Rhodes, both of Siloam.

Mr. Reynolds was well known throughout this section of Georgia, having lived in Greene county all his life, and was considered one of the best farmers and citizens of the county.

His funeral will be held at the Baptist church in Siloam at 3 o'clock Friday.

## JUNIOR BODY ELECTS OFFICERS AT MACON

Macon, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—Robert M. Gamble was elected president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce tonight. Clifford McKay first vice president, Horace Wemyss second vice president, R. H. Murphy third vice president.

## Mrs. John D. Pope Presented For Second Vice Regent D. A. R.

The Commodore Richard Dale chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has announced that it will present Mrs. John D. Pope, of Albany, Ga., an honored member, and one of the most distinguished southern clubwomen and an outstanding worker for many years in the D. A. R. organization, as a candidate for second vice regent at the conference to be held in Americus, Ga., in March, and the election to take place at that time.

In the announcement made by the Commodore Richard Dale chapter, a brief sketch of Mrs. Dale's activities is given:

"Mrs. Pope is a life D. A. R. member and besides organizing Commodore Richard Dale chapter, she served as its leader three years and has the distinction of being honorary regent. She always has been active in the affairs of the D. A. R. and other patriotic organizations and has served two years as state editor of the D. A. R. column in The Constitution and the last two years as state librarian.

"Her ability and loyalty have been demonstrated in every position she has held. We heartily indorse her for said position and ask the support of all D. A. R.s."

## BURGLARS RANSACK SMYRNA POSTOFFICE

Smyrna, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—The Smyrna postoffice was broken into and rifled last night, the burglars entering through a back window after breaking a large pane.

The office was thoroughly ransacked but little damage was done as everything of value was secure in a vault. There is no clue to the identity of the marauders.

## Spalding Jury Indicts Men on Charge of Theft Of Car for Insurance

Griffin, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—W. F. Pursley, prominent Griffin business man, with J. W. Bowen and Tom Oliver, of East Point, were indicted today by the Spalding county grand jury on a misdemeanor charge in connection with the alleged theft of an automobile belonging to the former, which it was reported was stolen from his garage on West Poplar street one night during the last part of December.

Bowen and Oliver were said to have been in possession of the automobile when arrested in a Florida city. The bill returned by the grand jury alleges that Pursley, Bowen and Oliver entered into a conspiracy to secret, take and carry away the automobile of Mr. Pursley for the purpose of obtaining insurance in the amount of \$1,000 carried on the car against theft and larceny.

Bond was fixed for each of the accused men by Judge W. E. H. Scarver, Jr., at \$750. Mr. Pursley immediately gave bond and his friends believe that he will be able to exonerate himself of the charges at the proper time. Oliver also gave bond but Bowen, it is stated, had failed to make his bond and was still in the Spalding county jail tonight.

## Ex-Governor, Mrs. Slaton Honor Miss Arnold and Mr. Richardson

Former Governor and Mrs. John Marshall Slaton were hosts at a beautiful dinner party on Thursday evening at their home, "Wingfield," on Peachtree road, in honor of Miss Frances Arnold and Hugh Inman Richardson, whose wedding will be the outstanding social event of the last of January.

The home was artistically decorated with fragrant spring flowers. The dinner was handsomely appointed, exquisite yellow and black Venetian glass flower stands, comports and candelabra being used. The flower stands were attractively arranged with yellow flowers.

Monogrammed place cards indicated the places for the guests, who were Miss Arnold, Miss Virginia Campbell, Miss Isabel Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. George Weyman, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh T. Inman, Hugh Inman Richardson, Baxter Maddox, John Grant, Jr., Samuel Inman Cooper, Norris Broyles, Lawson Kiser, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Grant and former Governor and Mrs. Slaton.

Mrs. Slaton received her guests wearing a handsome gown of silver lace with appliqued petals.

## Local No. 104 Will Give Dance Tonight.

The dances given under the auspices of Local No. 104, Southern Association of Bell Telephone Employees, held in the assembly hall at 25 Auburn avenue, have been quite a success. The regular night has been changed to Friday, January 22, and music will be furnished by an orchestra. All friends of the telephone company and Local No. 104 are cordially invited.

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W. B. Mode Girdle—Of heavy elastic and brocade. Regular \$3.50 to \$16.50, for \$1.75 to \$8.25

Treo Girdle—Of heavy elastic, with solid back of brocade. Regular \$3.50 to \$15.00, for \$1.75 to \$7.50

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Porto Rican Towels—Regular and guest size—best Italian linen, with dainty hand embroidery. Slightly mussed from handling, \$1.25 and \$1.39, for 75c

22x44-inch Bath Towels—Heavy, 2-ply 34c

70-inch Irish Table Damask—Heavy, bleached, assorted-flowered patterns, \$2.25, at \$1.79

55-inch All- linen Breakfast Sets—Hemstitched cloth and six napkins, for \$3.95

72x99-inch Hemstitched All- linen Sheets—Heavy and durable. Regular \$10.50, pair \$7.95

80x90-inch Colonial Crinkle Bed Spread Sets—Scalloped, with bolster cover, blue, rose and gold striped \$3.75

81x90-inch Gold Seal Sheets—Linen finish \$1.78

52-inch Imported Breakfast Cloths—Fine mercerized damask—blue, rose and gold \$1.69

Main Floor

## Household Necessities

Ironing Boards—On stands, \$2.50, for \$1.25

Waffle Irons—High stand, heart, \$2.50, for \$1.79

Commodore—Or slop jars—of white enamel, \$1.50, for 79c

Waste Baskets—Mahogany colors, 95c, for 39c

Porch Vases—In decorated tin, blue, yellow, rose 35c

Printed Oil Cloths—56-inch square, 95c 50c

Bread Boxes—White or gray enamel, \$1.50 75c

Basement Floor

## Toilet Articles

A very material saving is offered on these toilet necessities and near-necessities.

Nail Brushes—Special purchase, regular 25c 9c

Tooth Brushes—regular 25c 19c

Velour Powder Puffs—Regular 15c 9c

Pinaud's Lilac Vegetal—Regular 94c, for 79c

Godet's Jasmine—Small package, \$1.00, for 69c

Godet's Jasmine—1-oz., \$3.56 \$2.95

Godet's Imported Bath Soap—50c, 3 for 79c

Bath Salts—All odors, 50c 39c

Bath Sets—Powder and Salts, all odors, \$1.00 69c

Pinaud's Shampoo—50c 39c

Main Floor

## Men's Wear

Sox, 69c

Clearance men's sox, formerly 75c, \$1, \$1.25. All wool, silk and lisle, all lisle, in plain and fancy colors, all sizes.

Ties, 59c

Clearance of men's ties of cut silk and Swiss weaves, in newest stripes, checks, plaids and bright patterns.

## Athletic Union Suits, 79c

Regular \$1.00 Athletic Union Suits, of madras and pajama checks. Full-cut, well tailored garments, with center or side opening. All sizes.

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**Found in Mrs. Wilmer Moore,**  
**Prominent Society Matron**

By BEVERLY BURGESS.

Nothing gives us more pleasure than the fact that it is necessary often to speak of the cultural side of our social life.

It is here, and that in such evident abundance that it cannot be overlooked in the day's resume.

With these, our women, art is an absolutely indispensable thing and not a polite adornment only. They are "deeply and ineradicably in earnest" where art is concerned. They, with Shakespeare, feel that the human soul has greater need of the ideal than the real. He says: "By the real we exist, by the ideal we live. Animals exist, man lives."

So many of our charming matrons are giving of themselves unstintingly to the cultivation of the aesthetic sides of their lives.

## Delightful Women.

On Wednesday morning at the Woman's club at the regular performance, at which only local talent is given a chance at expression on these Music club programs, on first approach we ran into Mrs. Dudley Cowles. Very capable, and with quite a business air, was she handling "door receipts" and who would say that this was not the most important item on any program? She was beautifully assisted by Mrs. Ben Lee Crew, another one of Atlanta's lovely women.

We were just a little off of schedule in our arrival, and consequently the door was shut against us, about which we had been respectfully warned.

Upon being given the proper authority we attempted to push in any way. Here we came upon the Herculean resistance of Mrs. Wilmer Moore, one of Atlanta's very choicest spirits. Smilingly, the door was relinquished, temporarily!

Just on the inside we were ushered into the august—no, charming—presence of the Music club's president, Mrs. Cliff Hatcher, and with her that paragon of art, Mrs. De Los Hill. Do the above names not prove to you the truth of the statement that Atlanta's real worthwhile women are interested in things aesthetic?

## Artists on Program.

On the stage was Miss Kepp giving one of her delightful lectures. On this occasion her subject was chamber music, which was particularly apropos at this time, the Flonay quartet will appear under the auspices of the Music club tomorrow afternoon. Miss Kepp is a versatile speaker, and compels the interest of her audience. Mrs. Elsas, one of our most finished artists, sang on this program. She gave Matthe's "Slumber Song" and "A Toi Mon Coeur," by Gounod. Mrs. Elsas' name appearing on the program is quite sufficient to assure a full house. The resonance of her beautiful voice and the technical perfection to which she has gone, always guarantees a great pleasure for any audience.

Accompanying Mrs. Elsas on this occasion were Miss Edna Bartholomew at the piano, Miss William Griffith at the harp, and Kose Gasca on the cello.

That wonderful harp of Mrs. Griffith's!

The accomplishments of this young harpist will be heard more from yet in musical circles in Atlanta. She is splendid!

Think what a music club that can bring such artists as Paderewski, Galli-Curi and the like means to the cultural life of Atlanta.

To Mrs. Hatcher and her efficient, interested officers we feel grateful indeed for furnishing such opportunities.

## No Chances Taken.

Sunday night, in the streaming rain and Egyptian blackness of the accompanying storm, the telephone bell of a certain very popular Atlanta girl's house rang.

On answering it, there came over the wire a gruff and not too good-natured male voice making inquiry for one Frank Cramer.

"Is he there?"

(You should be told that this is the cognomen of one of Oglethorpe's mighty lords.)

"Yes, would you like to speak with him?" answered the scared little girl.

"No! We want to speak to you about him and in his presence!"

Trouble she scented immediately, and a sad recountal followed there-with.

This recountal had to do with treatment administered—or more correctly speaking, in the course of being administered, at that very minute—by said Frank Cramer to his dear roommates at Oglethorpe, Caruso Harding, Boogie McCoy and Dwight Horton.

At that particular moment these three young society gentlemen were marooned at the college of their choice in bathrobes, slippers and relieved of every penny of cash in the coffers of all three victims.

Such seemingly inhuman treatment had been occasioned by Frank's—the perpetrator—overhearing the frame-up of said dear and devoted roommates concerning his date that night with his best girl in town.

These considerate friends were to break in on this date of Frank's and "set him out!" Once before the same trio had been guilty of perpetrating the same crime and this time wisdom was to be the better part of valor.

Frank took no chance.

All of the wearing apparel and all of the cash available, while the quity three were enjoying their "bath," were

## DAILY CALENDAR OF WOMEN'S MEETINGS

The Baron DeKalb chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Presbyterian manse in Avondale with Mrs. R. L. Paine and Miss Frances Burgess, hostesses.

The Music Study club chorus will meet at 4:45 this afternoon in Edico hall.

The Young Woman's auxiliary of Saint Philip's cathedral will meet at 6 o'clock this evening in the chapter house.

The Inman Park Students' club will meet this morning at 10:30 o'clock with Mrs. L. T. Patillo, 81 McLendon avenue.

The Ladies' Memorial association will meet at the chamber of commerce this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Atlanta Winthrop chapter will meet with Mrs. J. P. Whitmore, 1090 North Boulevard, today at 3 o'clock.

Oglethorpe chapter No. 122, Order of Eastern Star, will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic temple on Peachtree road at Buckhead.

The Woman's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 3 o'clock at the church.

The DeKalb County council of P.-T. A. will meet today at the Decatur Methodist church.

The Joe Brown P.-T. A. will sponsor a series of motion pictures at the West End theater on Lee street, beginning Friday with a special performance from 7 to 9.

The Oakland City P.-T. A. will hold a special meeting this evening at 7:45 o'clock in the school auditorium.

The primary department of the Druid Hills Methodist Sunday school will hold a parent-teacher meeting in the primary Sunday school room this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The P.-T. A. of State Street school will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

There will be a regular meeting of Atlanta chapter No. 57, O. E. S., this evening at Joseph S. Greenfield lodge, North Moreland avenue.

The 1918 history class will meet this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Westervelt Terhune on Inman circle.

The executive board meeting of the Atlanta Woman's club will be held this morning at 10:30 o'clock in the palm room of the clubhouse. The Friday Morning Reading club will meet with Mrs. Frank Inman.

## HUGH HADDOX HEADS SAND, GRAVEL MEN

Hugh Haddox, of Millville, N. J., was elected president of the National Sand and Gravel association Thursday at the closing session of a two-day convention at the Biltmore hotel. Mr. Haddox has been vice president of the organization during the past year.

Other officers named are: R. C. Fletcher, of Des Moines, Iowa, vice president, and J. D. Shiley, who was reelected secretary and treasurer. The following were chosen as members of the executive committee: J. E. Carroll, of Buffalo, N. Y.; John D. Roquemore, of Montgomery, Ala.; George A. Rodgers, of Los Angeles, Cal.; and H. H. Halliday, of Cairo, Ill. T. R. Barrows was retained as executive secretary.

A report of the washed gravel ballast committee was rendered by Earl Zimmerman, of Cincinnati, Ohio. Stanton Walker, director of the association's engineering and research division, spoke briefly on the standardization of sizes of sand and gravel.

An open forum discussion featured a session following adjournment of the business meeting.

An informal dinner was held Wednesday night.

## \$1,000,000 BUILDING PROGRAM AT DOUGLAS

Douglas, Ga., January 21.—(Special.)—The "Doucuff," new \$1,000,000 hotel building at Douglas, is rapidly nearing completion, and is now being fitted with lighting, plumbing, telephones and the finishing touches of the painter.

Its lessee, J. J. Rooney expects to occupy the new 75-room building February 1. The furniture which is of the latest type used in hotels in cities, is being placed in it is of a dark walnut shade matching the paintings in the rooms. More than \$25,000 was paid for the furnishings in the building.

The hotel will contain 75 rooms besides lobby, main dining room, private dining rooms, assembly room, sample rooms, ladies' parlors. It is fitted with steam heat, telephones in each room, elevator service and each room contains a bath. It is built upon most modern plans and is sufficiently large to adequately fill requirements along with other hotels of the city.

The Doucuff is located almost in the center of the city on the Dixie highway and very markedly improves appearances in that section of Douglas.

With the completion of this structure, together with the building of the manufacturing plants of the U. S. Turpentine company, the Dixie Fire Kindler company, the Pat Darby Lumber company, lumber mill, an addition to the city high school building, the paving of more than four miles of sidewalks, the Farmers' tobacco warehouse, together with the construction of many residences, brings the year's building program for 1925 to approximately \$1,000,000.

## CONFIRMATION URGED FOR JUDGE ANDERSON

Washington, January 21.—(AP)—While irregularities in court procedure were admitted by S. E. Murray, district attorney, at today's session of the senate judiciary committee's inquiry into charges against Federal Judge Harry B. Anderson, of the western district of Tennessee, leading citizens of Memphis urged confirmation of his appointment.

Mr. Murray told the committee he had released seized liquor in several instances "in the interests of humanity" to sick friends, and said that, at the suggestion of Judge Anderson, who is serving under recess appointment, he had "waded out about 30 old cases" from the docket where defendants had not been apprehended.

Indorsement of Judge Anderson was given by Mayor Rowlett Paine, of Memphis; the Rev. Ben Cox, pastor of the Memphis Central Baptist church, and by C. P. J. Mooney, editor of The Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

All declared he had cooperated in the enforcement of prohibition and none recognized the eight names on a petition protesting against his confirmation.

Attorneys for Judge Anderson also submitted scores of affidavits from citizens of Memphis indorsing him and testifying to his good reputation.

At the request of Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, W. F. Zumburn, attorney for the Protestants, told the committee he expected to move that Judge Anderson had entered orders of dismissal in 47 cases in which the defendants were not represented by lawyers, no evidence was heard and no attendants were present in the court.

Mrs. Whitmore, said he had obtained a warrant of attachment against the property of Mrs. Whitmore and Mrs. Peck pending trial.

Mrs. Whitmore and Mrs. Peck left Mount Vernon in December and it was reported that they had gone to Mexico, where Mrs. Whitmore intended to get a divorce. Whitmore admitted his wife had deserted him.

Cardinal thrives under stimulus of royal visits.

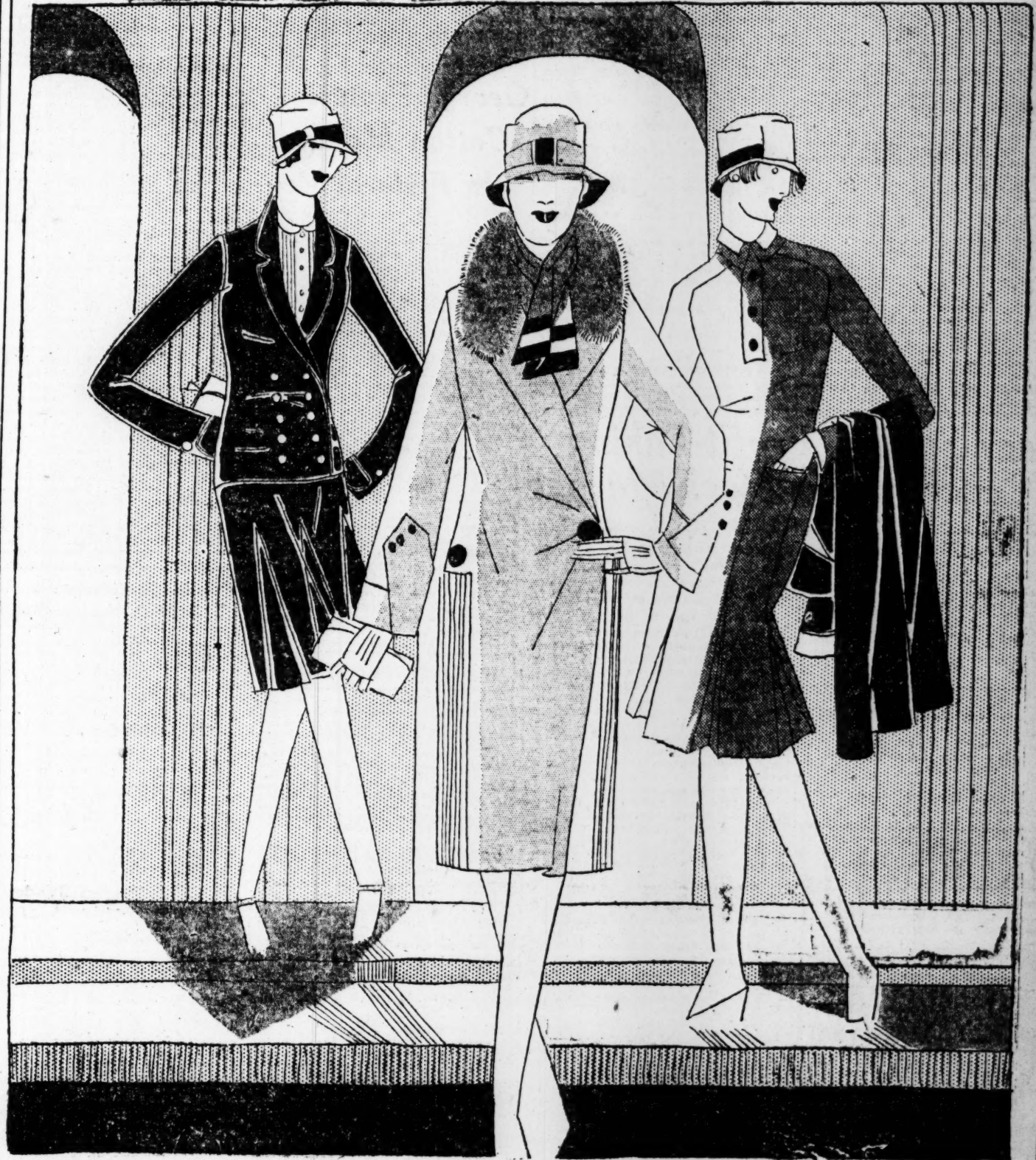
Brussels, January 21.—(AP)—Cardinal Mercier, far from being fatigued by the earnest talks he has had with Viscount Halifax, president of the English Church union, and Queen

Elizabeth, actually seems to thrive under the stimulus of such visits. After Lord Halifax's departure today the cardinal began to write for the first time in many days, presumably concerning the project of the union of Christian churches, which has been occupying his every waking thought.

The meeting of the cardinal and Lord Halifax this morning deeply moved all witnesses. The head of the English church union knelt at the prelate's bedside, grasping his hand, which he kissed fervently. Suddenly the cardinal, in a supreme effort, set upright, tendering both hands to Halifax, whose devotion during the mass said in the sickroom inspired all.

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### COATS

Coats that enter with a flare and a distinguished air, in twills, tweeds and novelty sport woolens. Slim and straight of silhouette or flaring in new and unexpected ways, braided, embroidered or sparsely trimmed with fur—summer fur. Some are plain, depending upon their charming lines and lovely fabrics for attention. Colors show a partiality for tans, poudre and navy blue, grey plaids and mixtures. Exquisitely lined throughout with crepe de chine.

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**VALUABLE** advice and "How to Secure a Government Position" sent, prepaid, absolutely free. Write Mr. Osmund, 240, St. Louis, Mo.  
**WANTED**—An experienced grocer clerk. J. S. Broyles, 806 Peachtree street.  
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**WANTED**—Two young single men for col- lecting; must be good salesmen; \$15 per week; no night work; no travel. See Mr. Maxwell, 10 to 10 a. m., 21 Nassau street.  
**WANTED**—A live wire clothing salesman to learn the credit business; steady position; wonderful opportunity for advancement; in Miami, Fla. Apply Collins Co., 125 Whitehall street, between 12 and 2.  
**WANTED**—An experienced casualty claim agent to take charge of a branch claim department in North Carolina. State age, education, experience and minimum salary required. Address: United States Casualty Co., 80 Madison Lane, New York, N. Y.  
**WANTED**—Salesmen to travel in own car to sell life insurance in Georgia, Alabama, South Carolina; attractive proposition to experienced men; sell large life insurance policies; also children's, nurses' and junior cases, including big valuable line of life and children's insurance. Write to: Georgia Life Insurance Co., 90 South Peachtree street, Atlanta, Ga.  
**WANTED**—A few salesmen with cars who can produce and sell a development with near two miles of water frontage. Aerial view of land. One of the best developments in the state. Men wanted for Miami and Fort Lauderdale. Write to: Leon, 107 N. E. 3d St., Miami, Florida.  
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**YOUNG MAN** wanted for office work. Apply 428 Austell building.  
**YOUNG MAN**, 20, good personality, clerical, neat, mature, future; immediately, 428 Austell building.  
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**BOOKKEEPER** with auditing experience; position; with short-term salary; address V-747, Constitution.  
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## LODGE NOTICES



A called communication  
**Battle Hill Lodge No. 523, F. & M. A. M.**, will be held in the lodge room at Gordon street and Lud avenue, this **(Friday) evening January 22, 1926, at 8:30 o'clock.**

This meeting is called for purpose of conferring the Entered Apprentice degree. All duly qualified brethren are cordially invited to attend. By order of

**J. H. PARKER, W. M.**  
**JAS. A. MASSEY, Secretary.**



The regular communication  
**Piedmont Lodge No. 447, F. & M. A. M.**, will be held in Masonic Temple this **(Friday) evening January 22, 1926, at 8:30 o'clock.**

**Fellow Craft will be conferred**  
**J. WALTER LE CRAW, W. M.**  
**H. M. WOOD, Secretary.**

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The officers  
 members of Full  
 Lodge No. 32,  
 D. O. P., are  
 requested to at-  
 tend a  
 regular meeting to be held Friday, Ja-  
 nuary 22, at 7:30 p. m., when the Initia-  
 tion  
 degree will be conferred by Bro. E. C.  
 Baughn.

**NEWMAN LAGER, N. M.**

W. N. LANSUY, Secretary.

Regular meeting of Empire State Camp, No. 7, Woodmen of the World, this (Friday) evening, January 15, 1926, 8 o'clock, Hall No. 1, 125 Men's wigwam, 86 Central avenue. Class initiation. Visiting Woodmen welcome.

DR. HERBERT B. KENNEDY,  
Consul Commandant

M. U. SMITH, Clerk.

## Funeral Notices

**TURNER**—Funeral services for M. J. E. Turner will be held at The Rock church this (Friday) morning, January 22, 1926, at 11 o'clock. Interment in churchyard. H. W. Holsomba, funeral director, Fairburn, Ga.

**DANIEL**—Robert J. Daniel, the

BATES—Miss Marie Dolores Bates, 17 years, died Thursday at

residence, 231 Fourth avenue, Decatur, Ga. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bates; two sisters, Mrs. T. P. Blackburn, Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. N. S. Berry, Huntsville, Ala.; and uncle, Mr. Ralph Riggsden. Funeral services will be held at the Sacred Heart church, time to be announced later. Greenberg & Bond Co. in charge.

**ARNOLD.**—Died at the residence, 4

386 South Ashby street, Thursday afternoon, January 21, 1926. Mr. A. Arnold, in his 73rd year. He is survived by his wife; daughter, Mrs. L. Morris, Collins, Ga.; sons, Mr. H. Arnold, Decatur Ga., and Mr. R. Arnold, Burlington, Iowa; brother, Mr. S. C. Arnold, Los Angeles, Cal. and stepmother, Mrs. G. H. Arnold, Greensboro, Ga. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by

**LIDE**—Died at a private sanitarium Thursday evening, January 21, 1909. Mr. Thomas N. Lide, in his 61st year the first year. He is survived by wife; son, Mr. Thomas N. Lide, Jr.; two daughters, Mrs. C. W. Coker, Hartsville, S. C.; Mrs. Richard B. Furman, Sumter, S. C.; Mrs. H. B. Bryan, Jacksonville, Fla., and brother, Mr. Robert Lide, Orangeburg, S. C. The remains will be taken to Anderson.

**HIGGINS**—Died at the residence, 243 Oakhill avenue. Thursday morning, January 21, 1926. Mr. Houston Higgins, in his 25th year. He is survived by his wife; father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Higgins, Birmingham, Ala.; one sister, Mrs.

D. McEIVEN, and three brothers, M. Barney Higgins, of Miami, Fla.; M. Robert Higgins, of Birmingham, Ala.; and Mr. Homer Higgins, of Birmingham, Ala. The remains will be taken to Carrollton, Ga., this morning at 8:25 o'clock, via Central of Georgia railroad, where funeral services will be held at the Cross Plains Methodist church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Cross Plains cemetery at 3 o'clock.

HARRIS—The friends of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Harris, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harris, Miss Myrtle Harris, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Fauss, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Graves, of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Taylor, of Emporia, Va., are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Harris at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George H. Fauss, 75 Fairview road, this (Friday) morning.

January 22, at 10:30 o'clock. R  
J. W. Quillian will officiate and  
interment will be in West View.  
The following gentlemen will act as pa  
bearers: Mr. Eugene R. Harris, M  
Harry Harris, Jr., Mr. Robert H  
ris, Mr. Herman Fauss, Dr. A.  
Dimmock and Mr. Norman Sma  
Harry G. Poole, funeral director.

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LYNCH—Friends of Mr. and M  
James F. Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Jam

Charles P. Brady and family and Mother M. Gertrude, of Wheeling, Va., are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. James F. Lynch this (Friday) morning at 10 o'clock, from the Sacred Heart church, Rev. Father James Horton officiating. The following gentlemen will please act as pallbearers and meet at the residence of Mr. Charles P. Brady, 134 Huntington road, at 9:15 o'clock: Mr. C.

Card of Thanks.

the many friends, white and colored, and especially the members of the Druid H. Golf club, for their deep sympathy extended during the illness and death of their son Zedgar.

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